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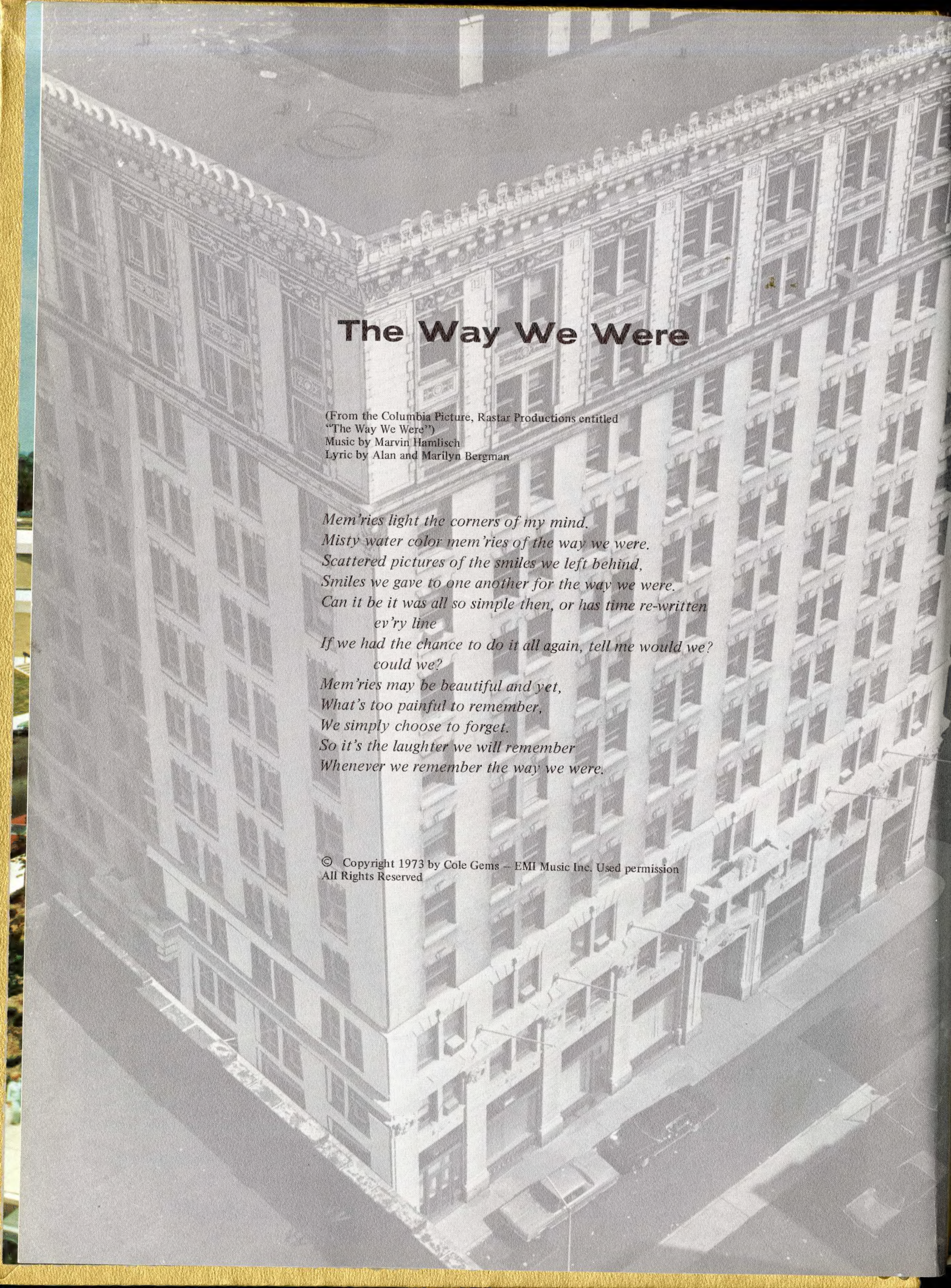
The Day After



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The Way We Were

(From the Columbia Picture, Rastar Productions entitled
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*Mem'ries light the corners of my mind.
Misty water color mem'ries of the way we were.
Scattered pictures of the smiles we left behind,
Smiles we gave to one another for the way we were.
Can it be it was all so simple then, or has time re-written
ev'ry line
If we had the chance to do it all again, tell me would we?
could we?
Mem'ries may be beautiful and yet,
What's too painful to remember,
We simply choose to forget.
So it's the laughter we will remember
Whenever we remember the way we were.*

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Graduate:

During the course of your studies at Essex we have tried to give you direction, instill in you a definite purpose, a desire for knowledge and the ability to meet the rigorous demands that will inevitably come your way in the course of life. Your future endeavors will reflect the new skills, experiences and knowledge that you have acquired during your years at Essex County College. It is our hope you will continue to seek even higher standards for yourself and your community.

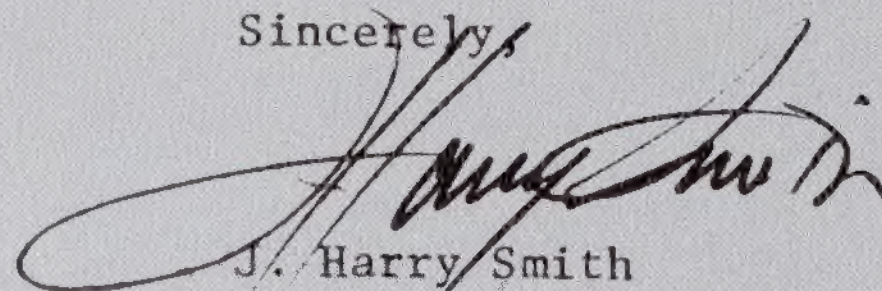
Doing your best, in endeavors you cannot yet foresee, and facing new avenues and frontiers to future awareness are ways in which you fulfill the primary goals of Essex County College.

What you have gained here will be beneficial to you regardless of where your ambitions may lead you. I must emphasize, however, that your motivation must not be abated, rather stimulated for the educational values and goals of this two-year institution only foster and encourage the individual to go on to greater opportunities.

The fact that many of you are in the "over thirty" generation indicates that many people are thirsting for knowledge, seeking higher standards and goals and striving to carve their niche in society. Share your knowledge with others and encourage them.

I congratulate all of you on your accomplishments and wish you the very best in the future.

Sincerely,



J. Harry Smith
President

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MESSAGE FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT

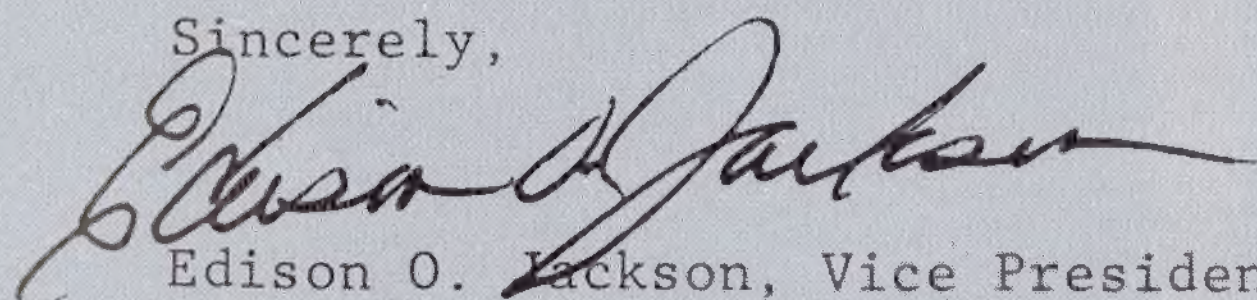


Succinctly named, Student Affairs, perhaps above all other areas, acts as a direct liaison between students and their encounters with the College. Essex County College students never lose sight of the departments within this area from their initial contact with the Admissions Office to the ultimate end at graduation. From this point of departure, reflect for a moment on the passage of time, your significant accomplishments, academic achievements and personal growth. All of you have witnessed some changes brought about by your progress through the institution that will be a part of you and remembered for many years to come.

You, members of a large group called graduates occupy a very special place of distinction in the history of Essex County College. We, too, have witnessed some changes that will be long remembered — those changes were brought about by you and will become indelible upon the pages of Essex County College history.

May I once again remind you, as you leave the passageways of Essex County College and embark upon the great beyond, that you are ambassadors for this institution. Be diligent, prudent, temperate and discreet. Be happy, strive for higher heights, love one another but don't forget, "the way we were."

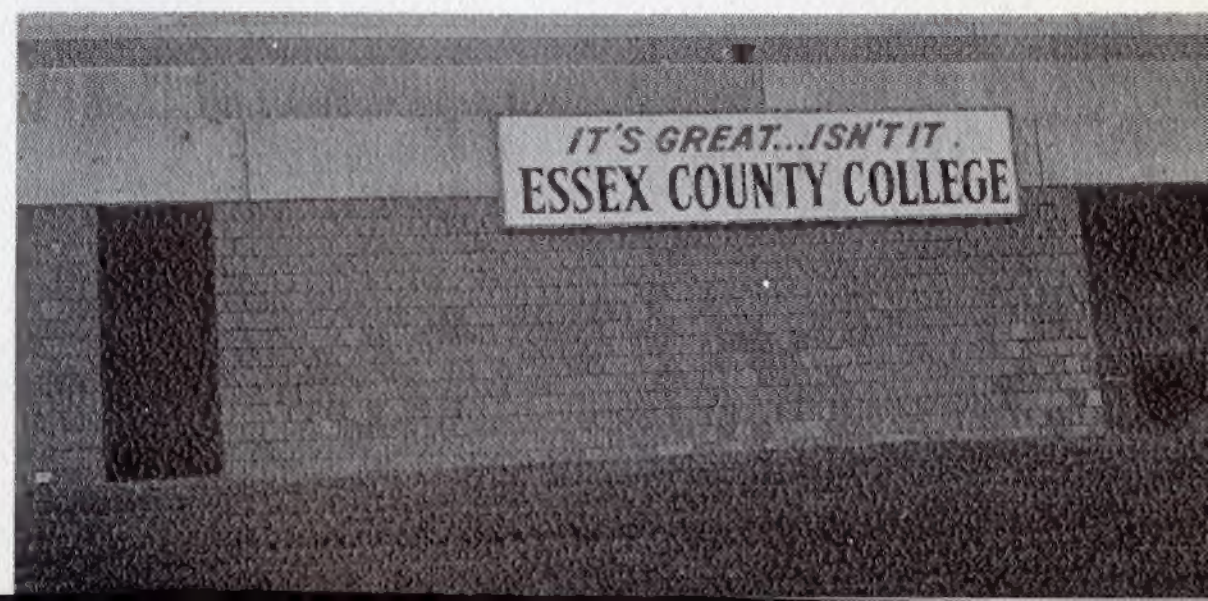
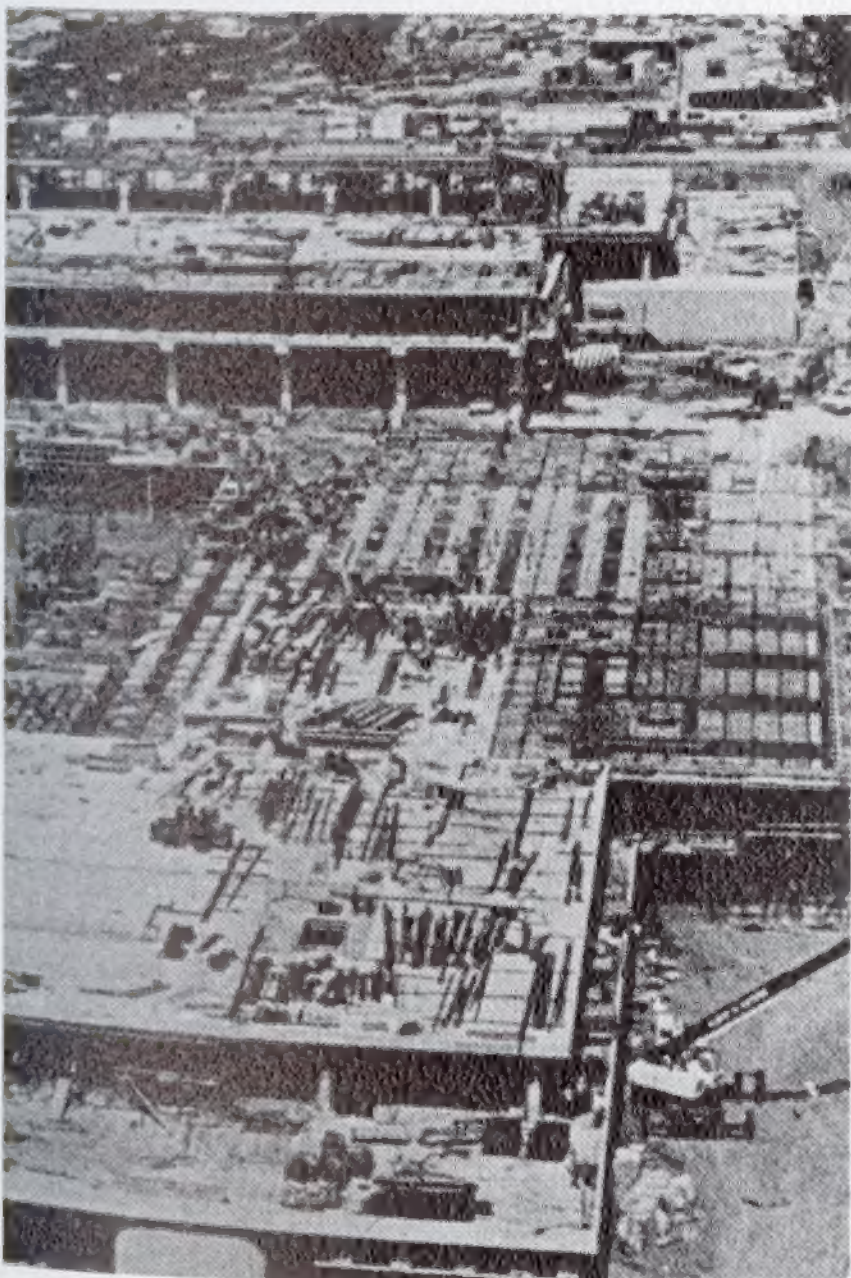
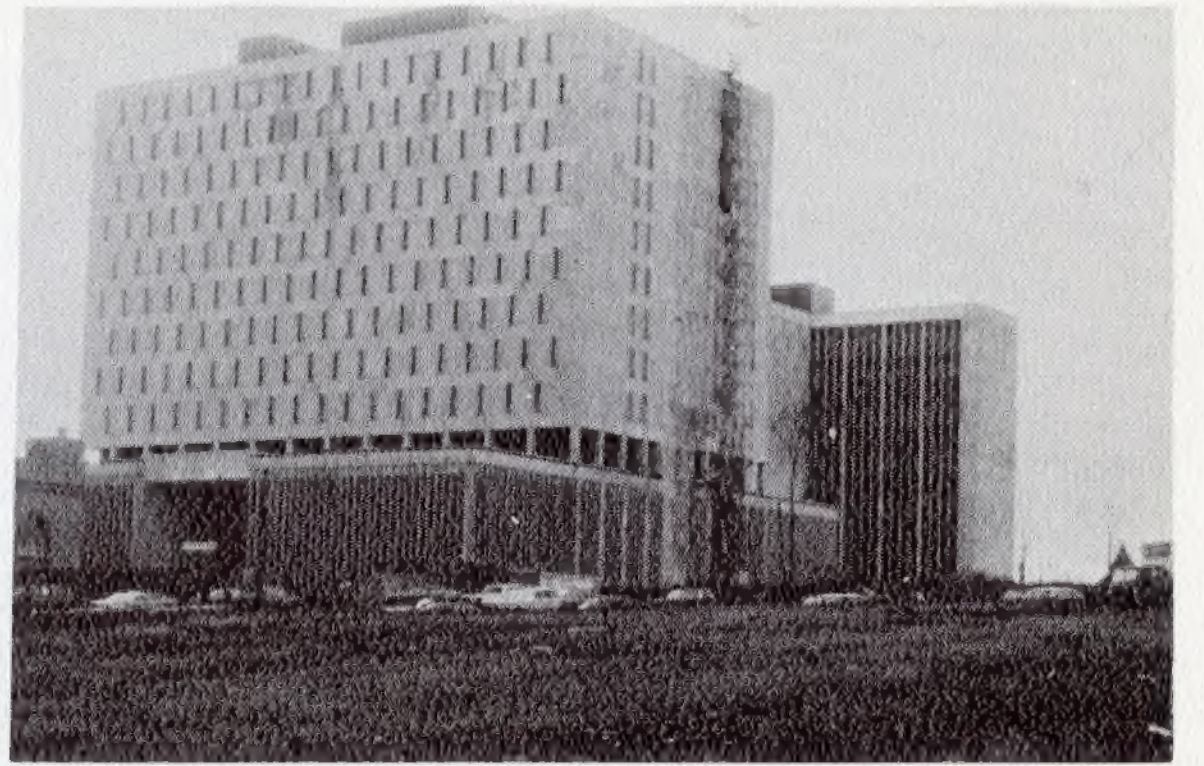
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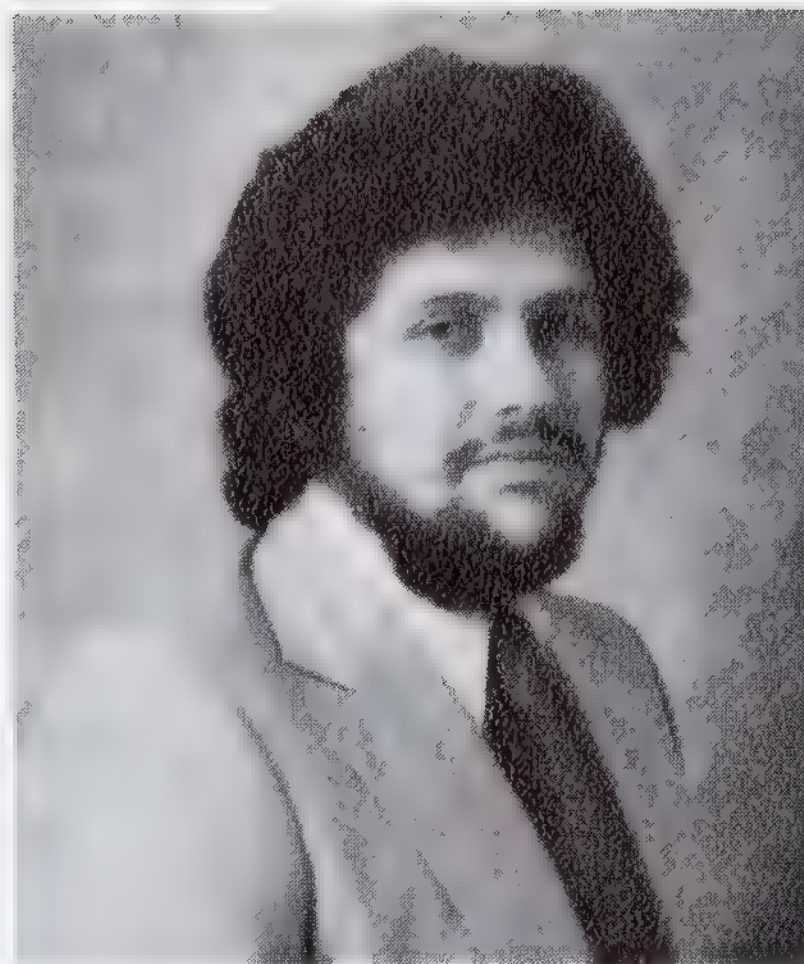
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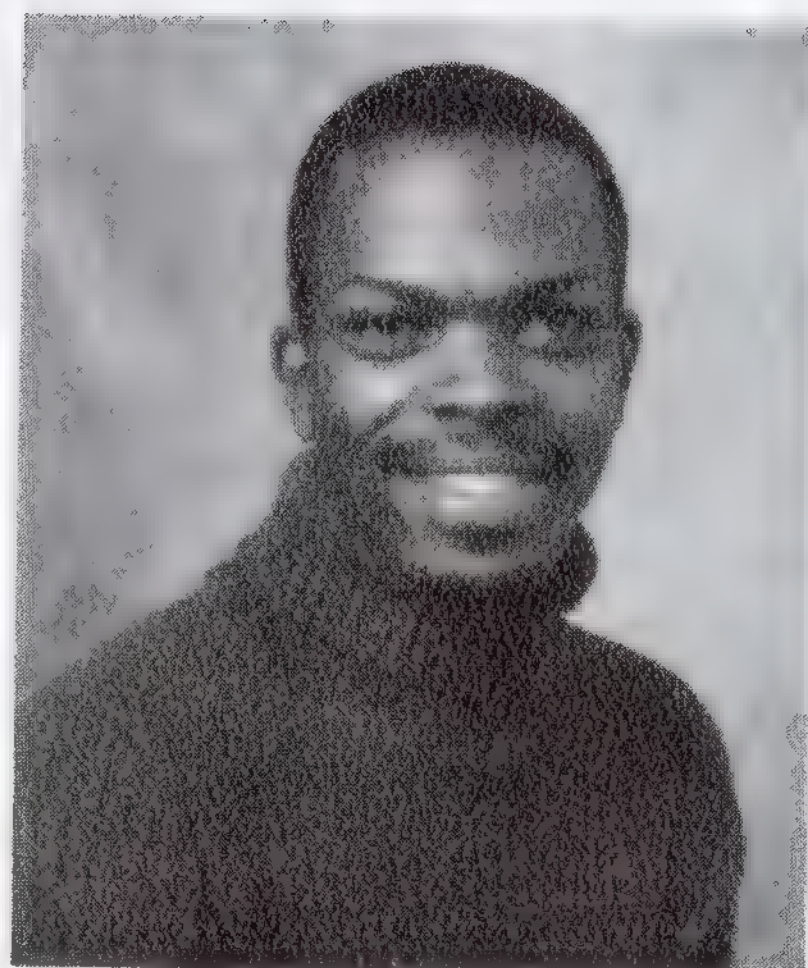
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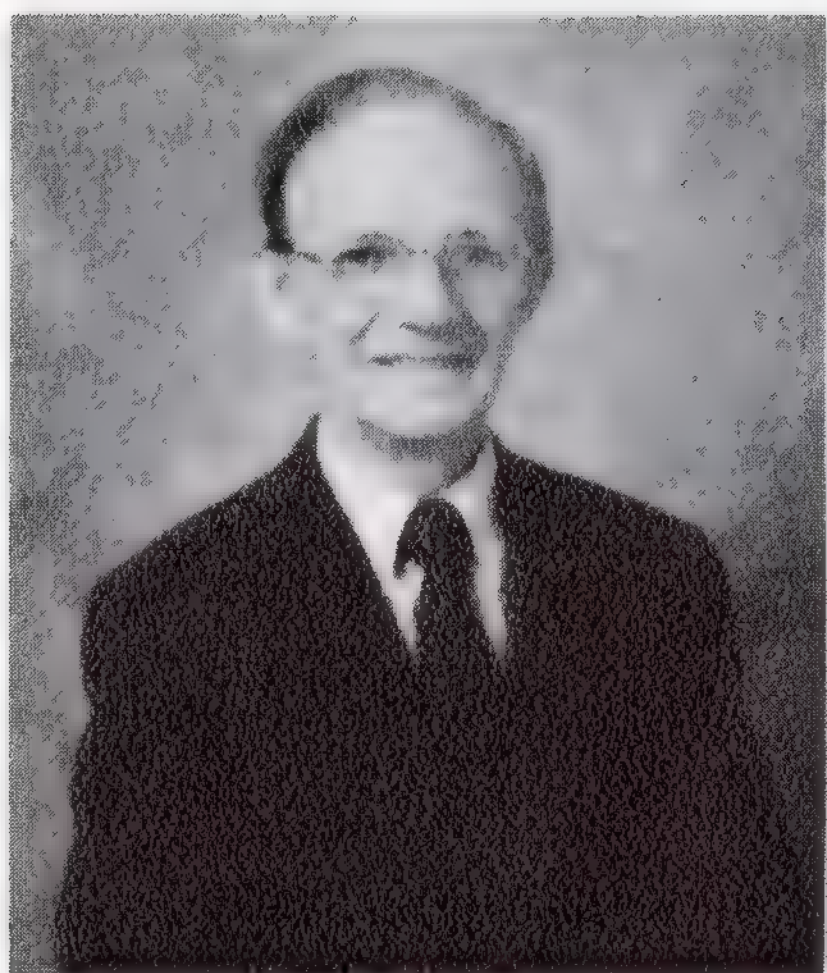
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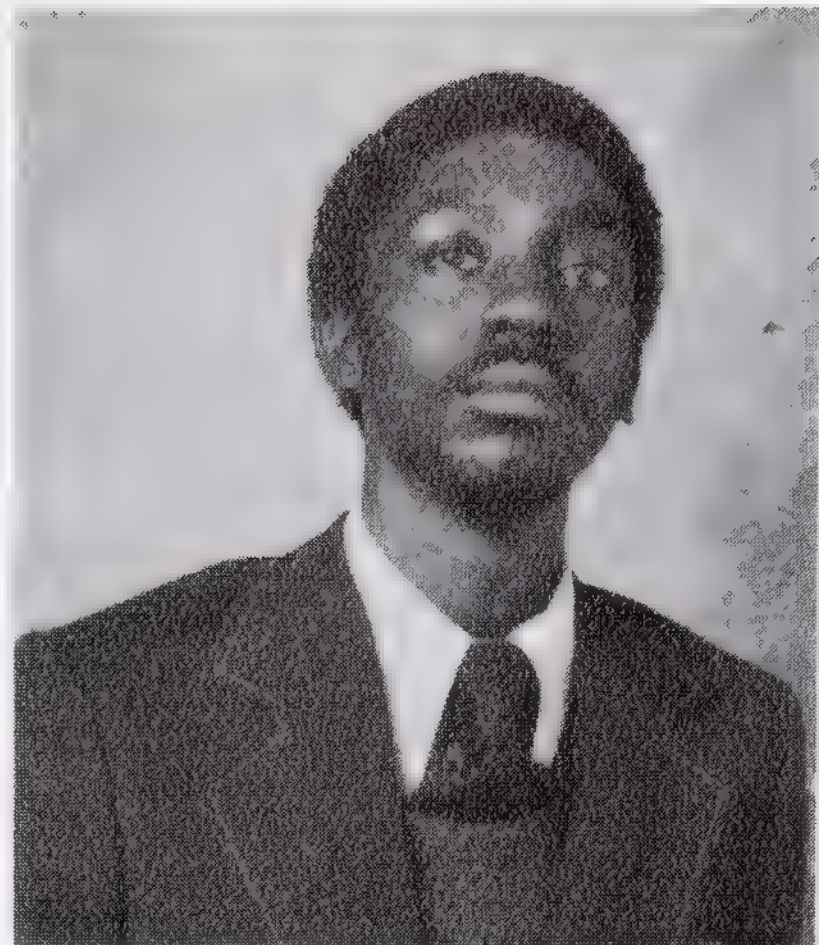
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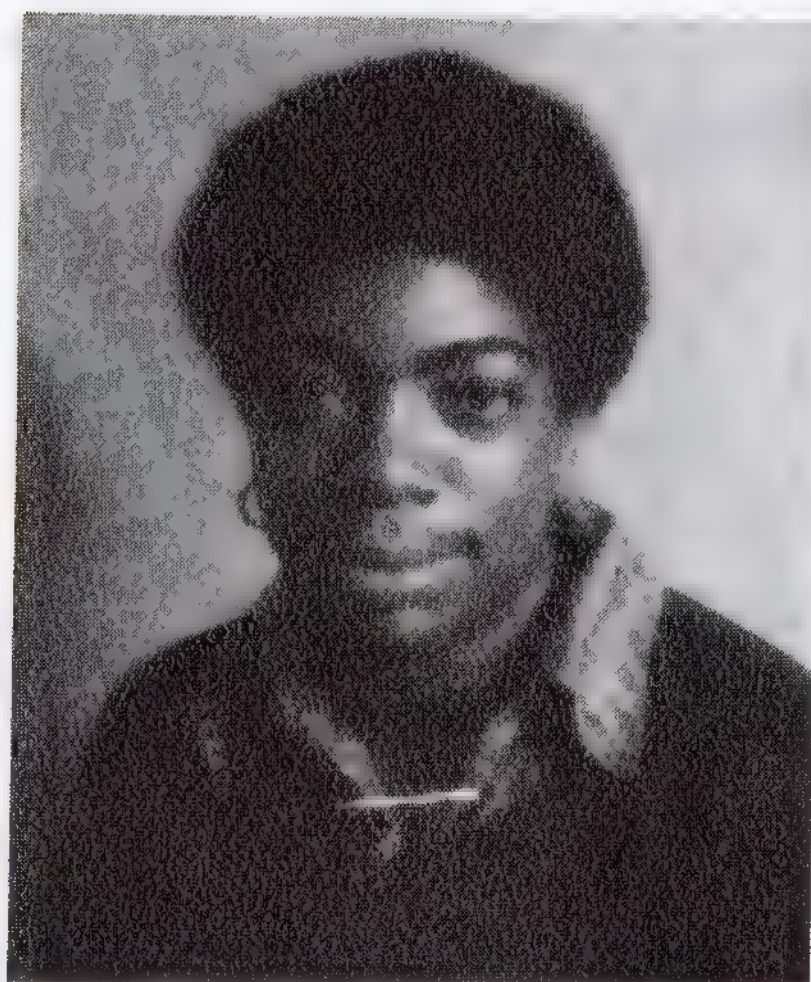
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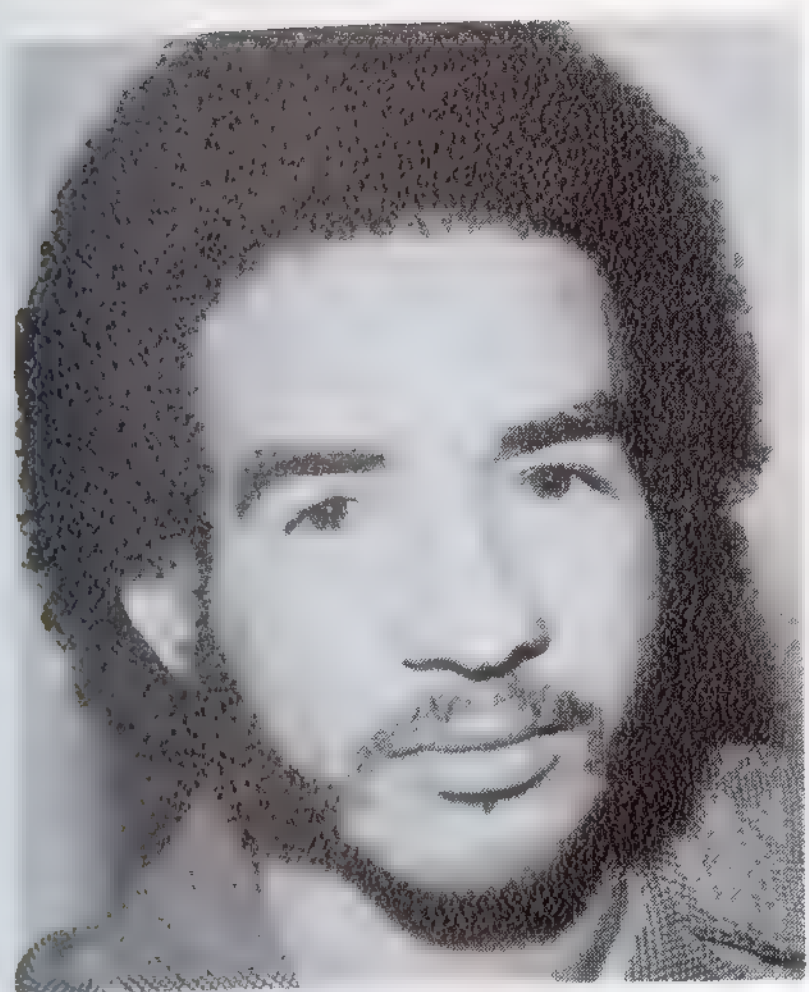
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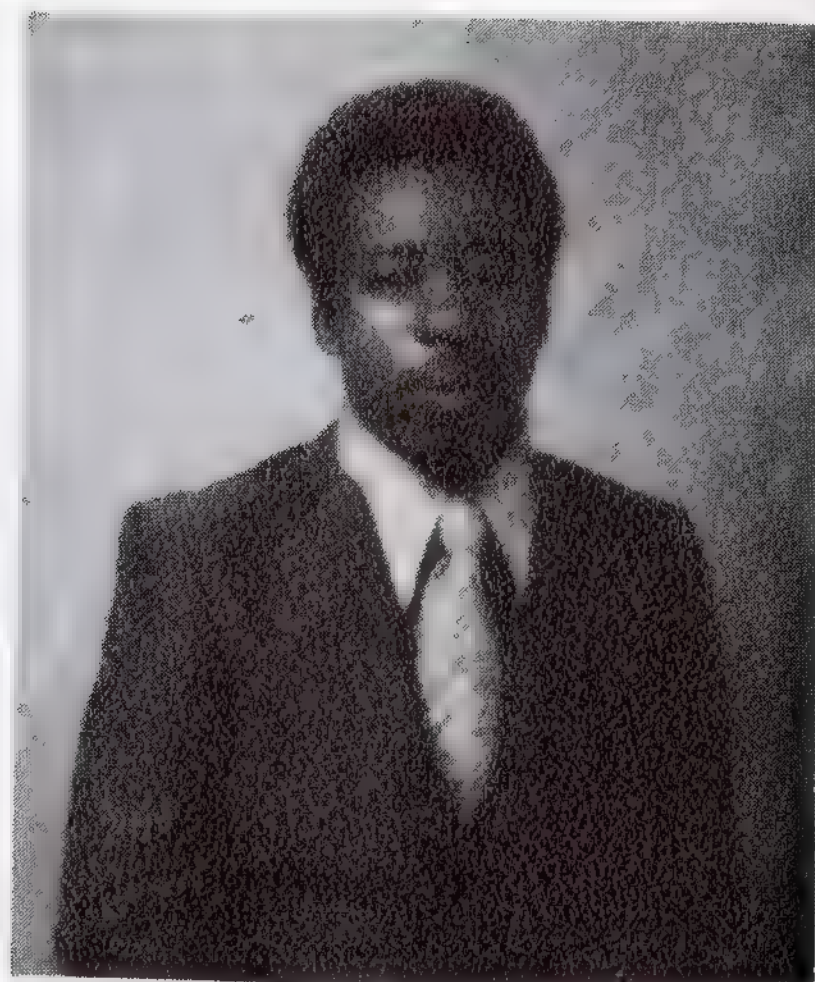
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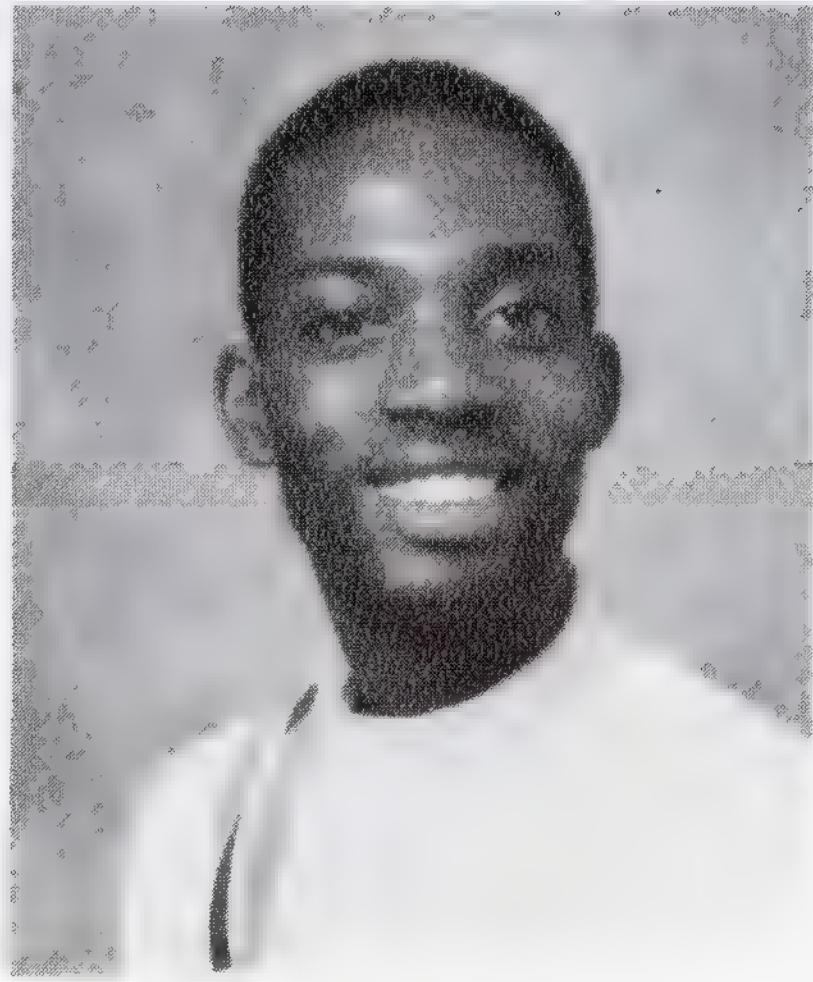
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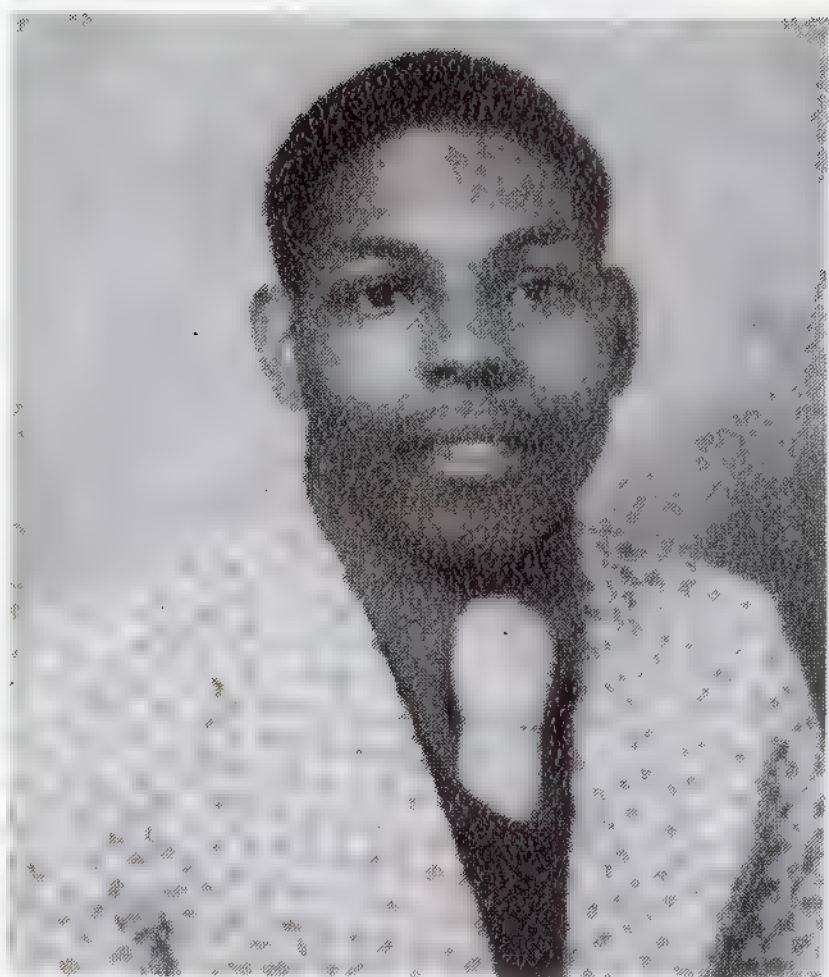
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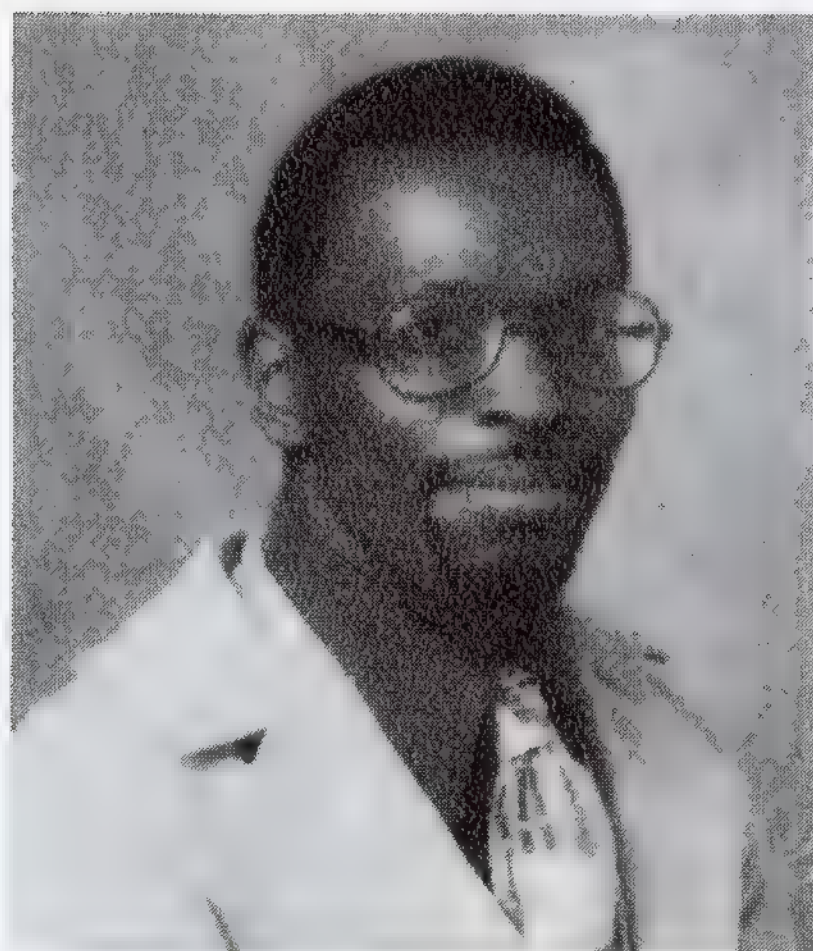
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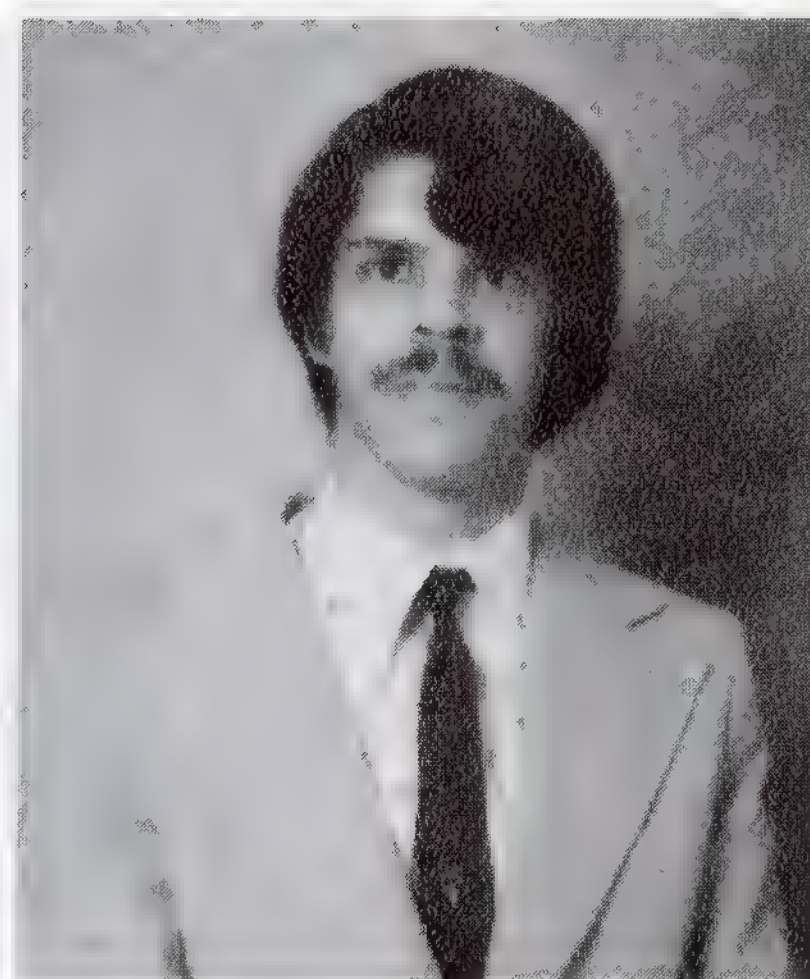
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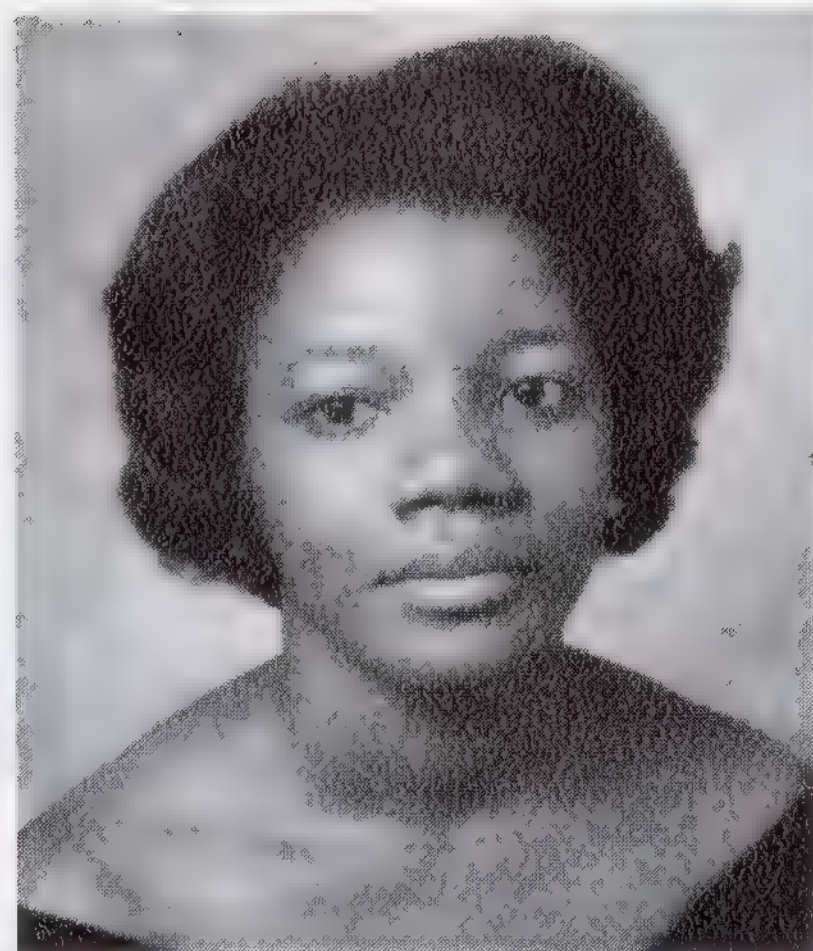
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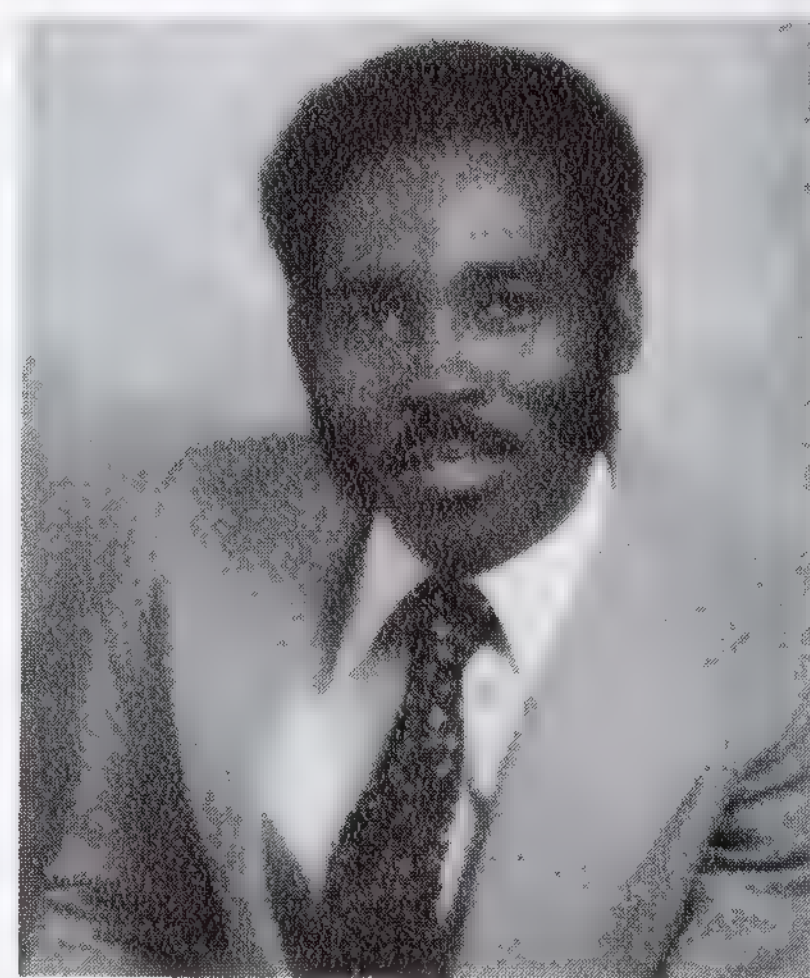
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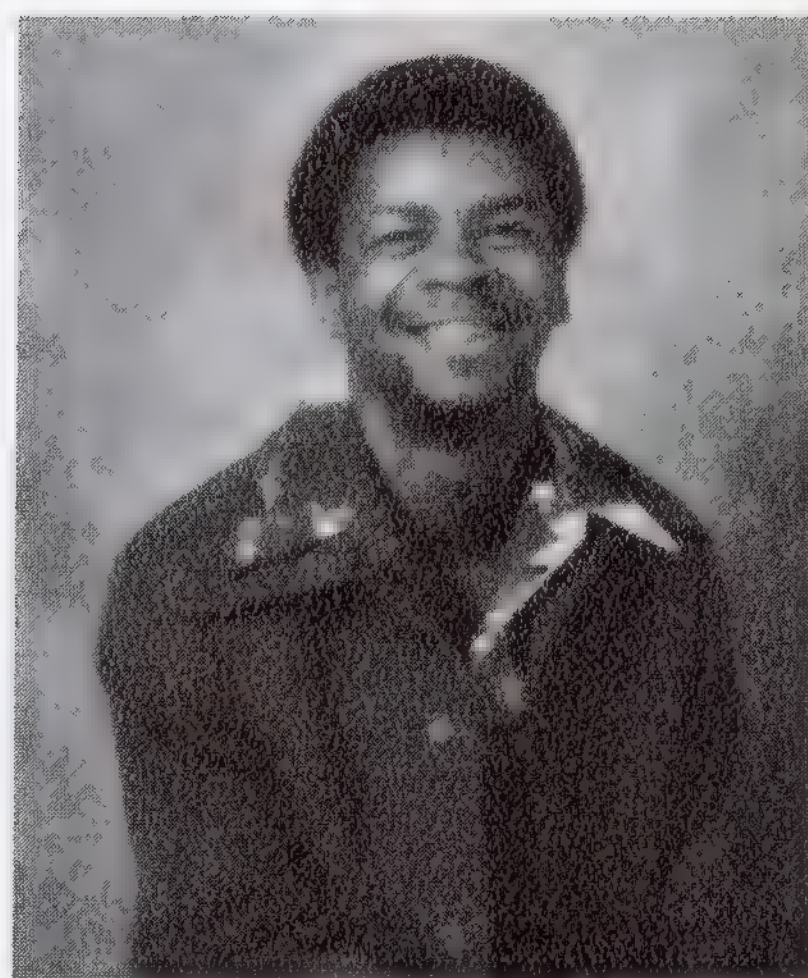
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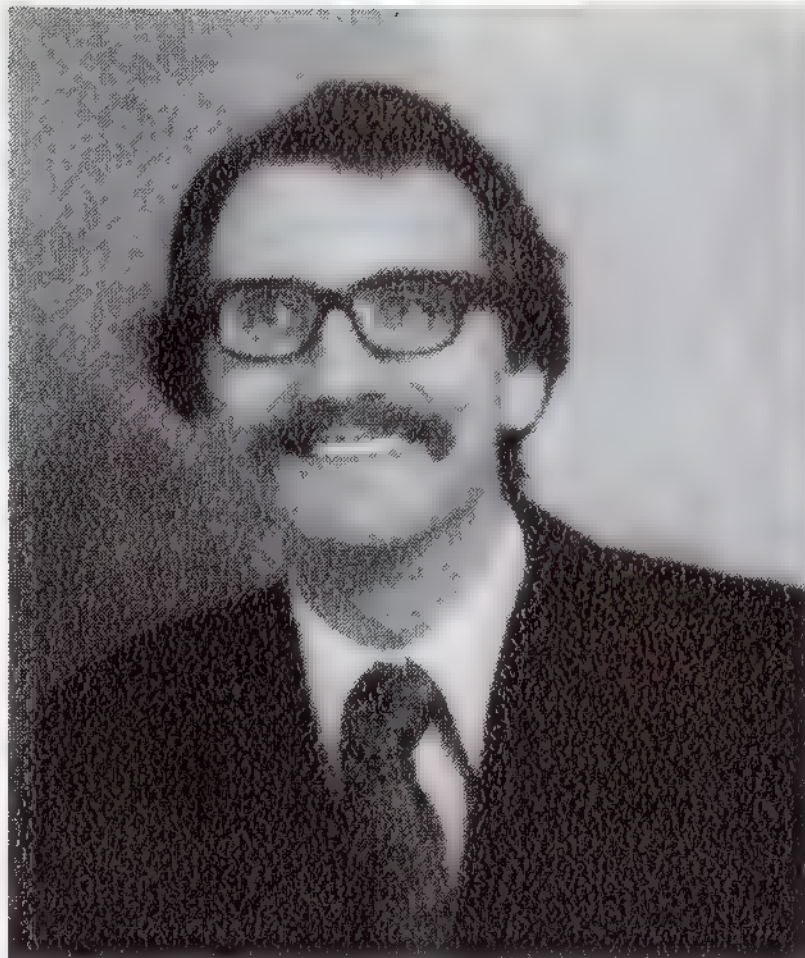
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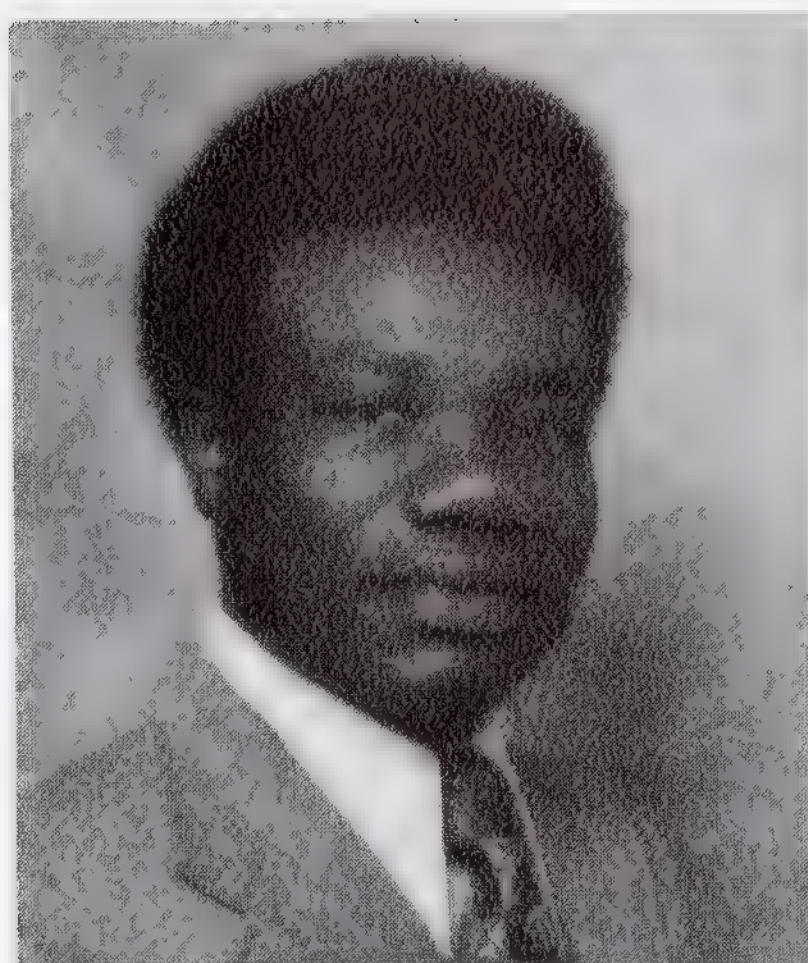
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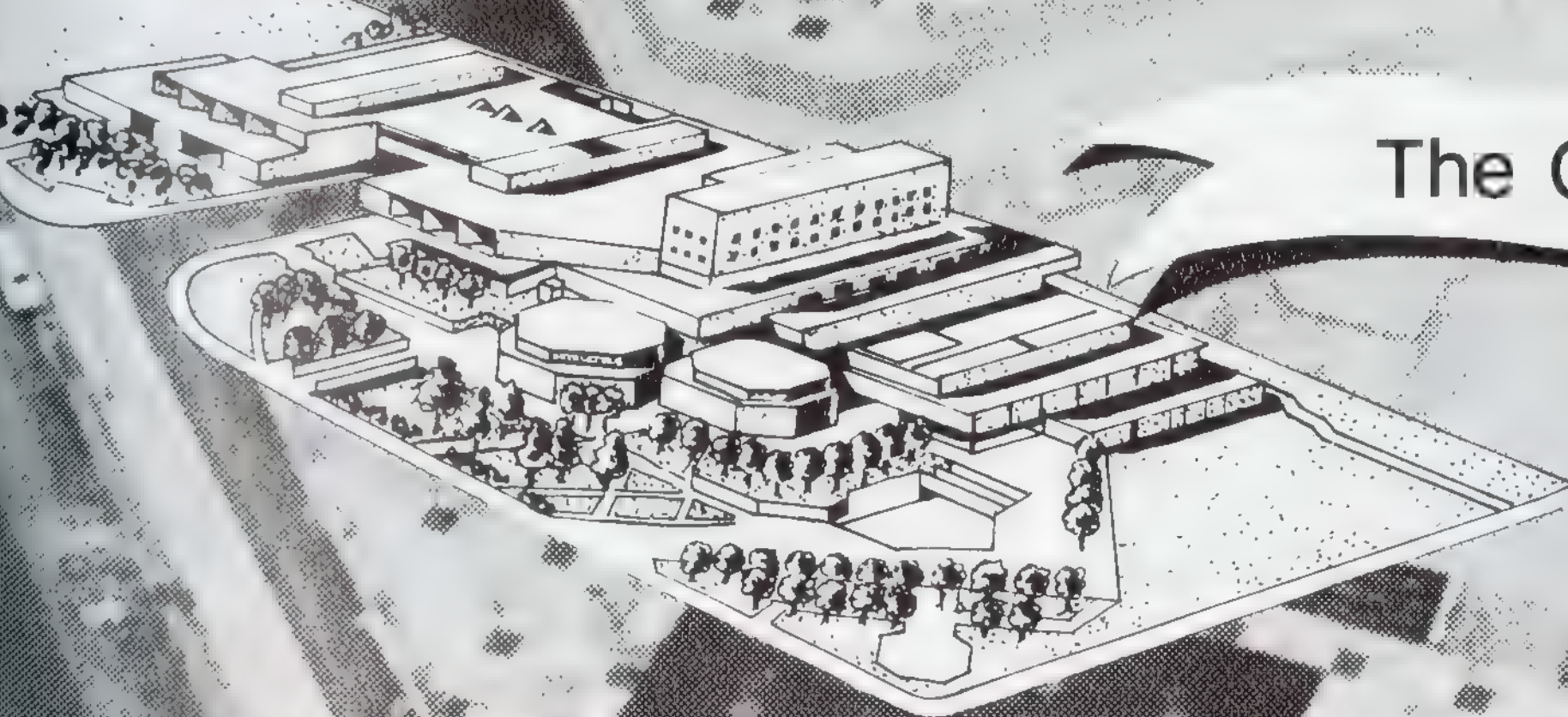
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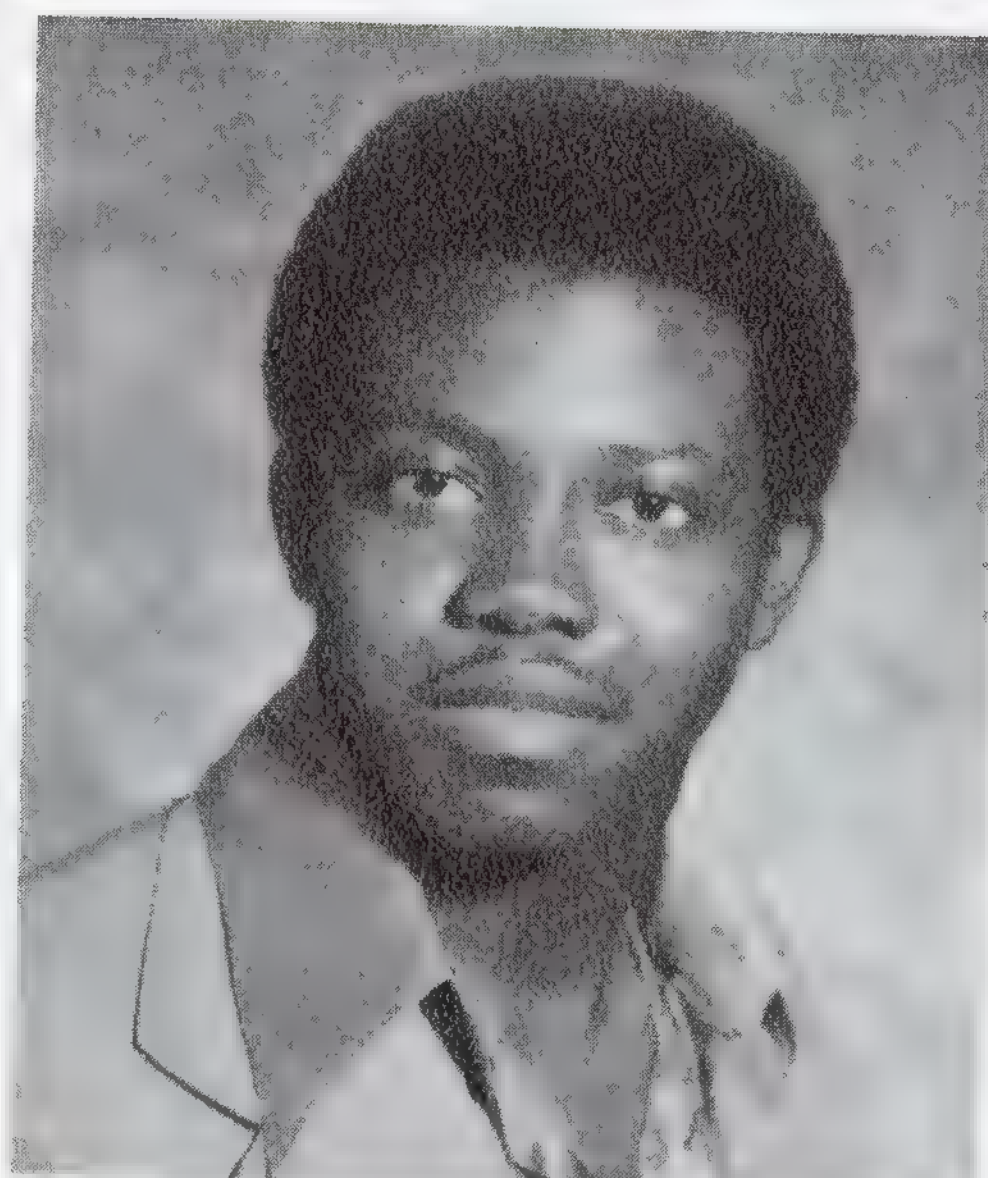
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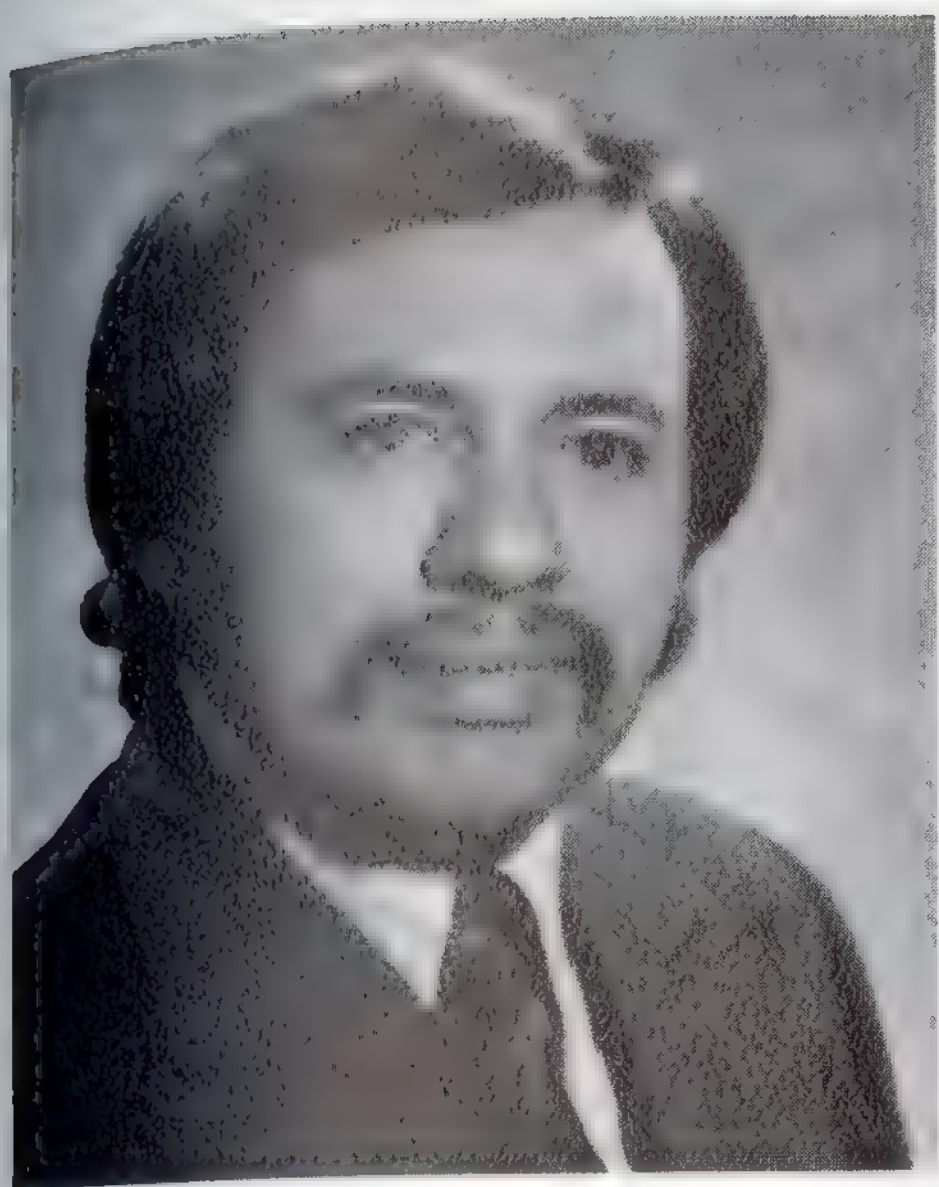
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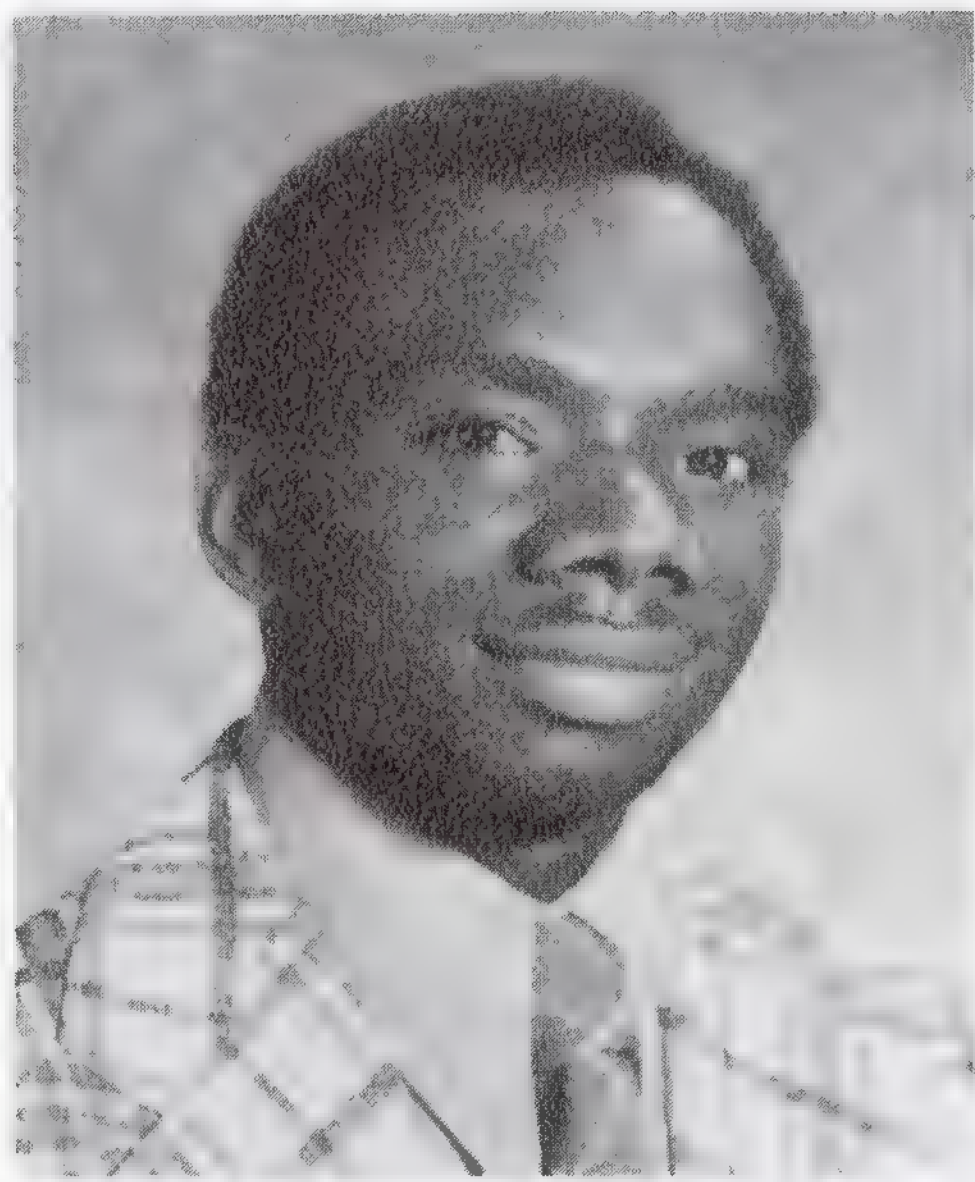
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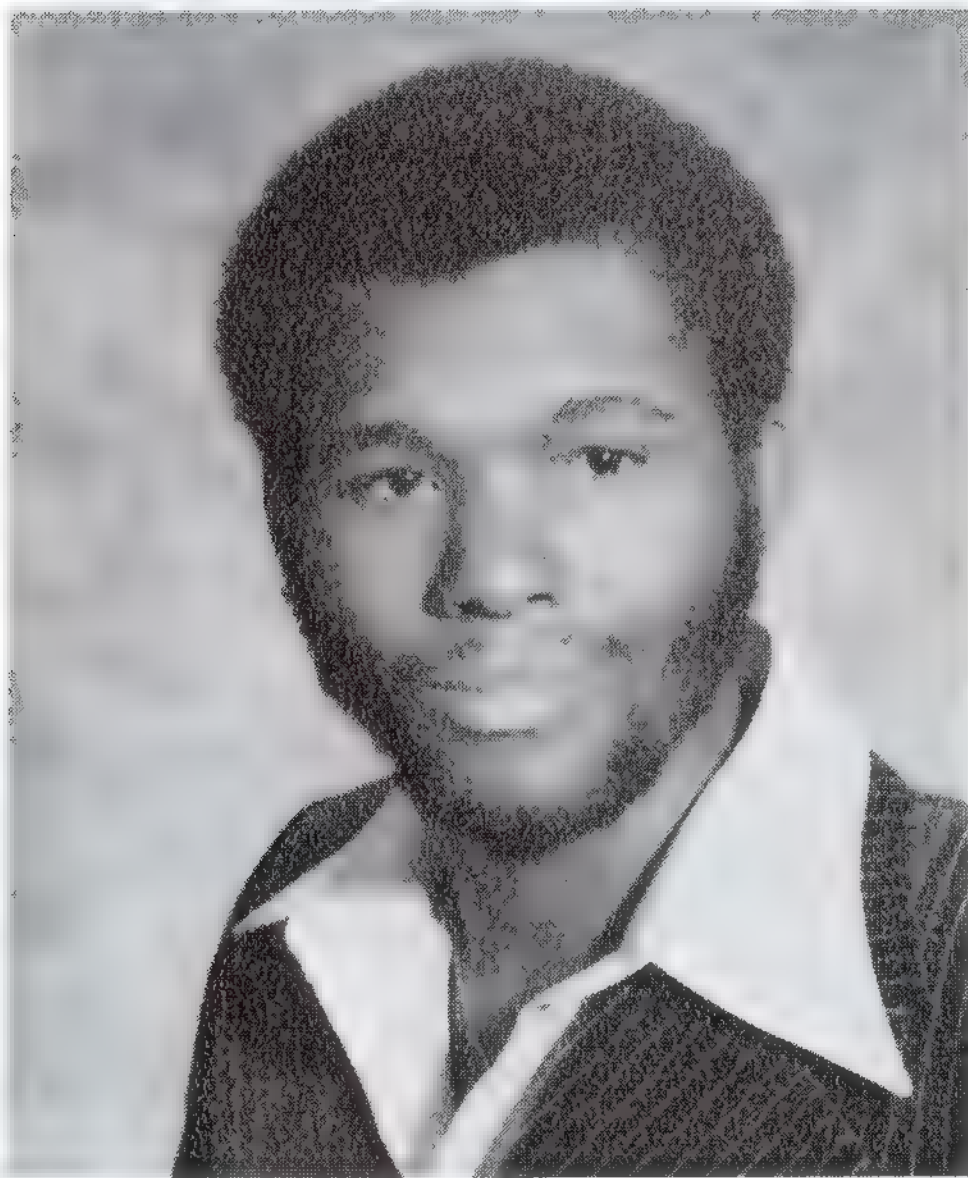
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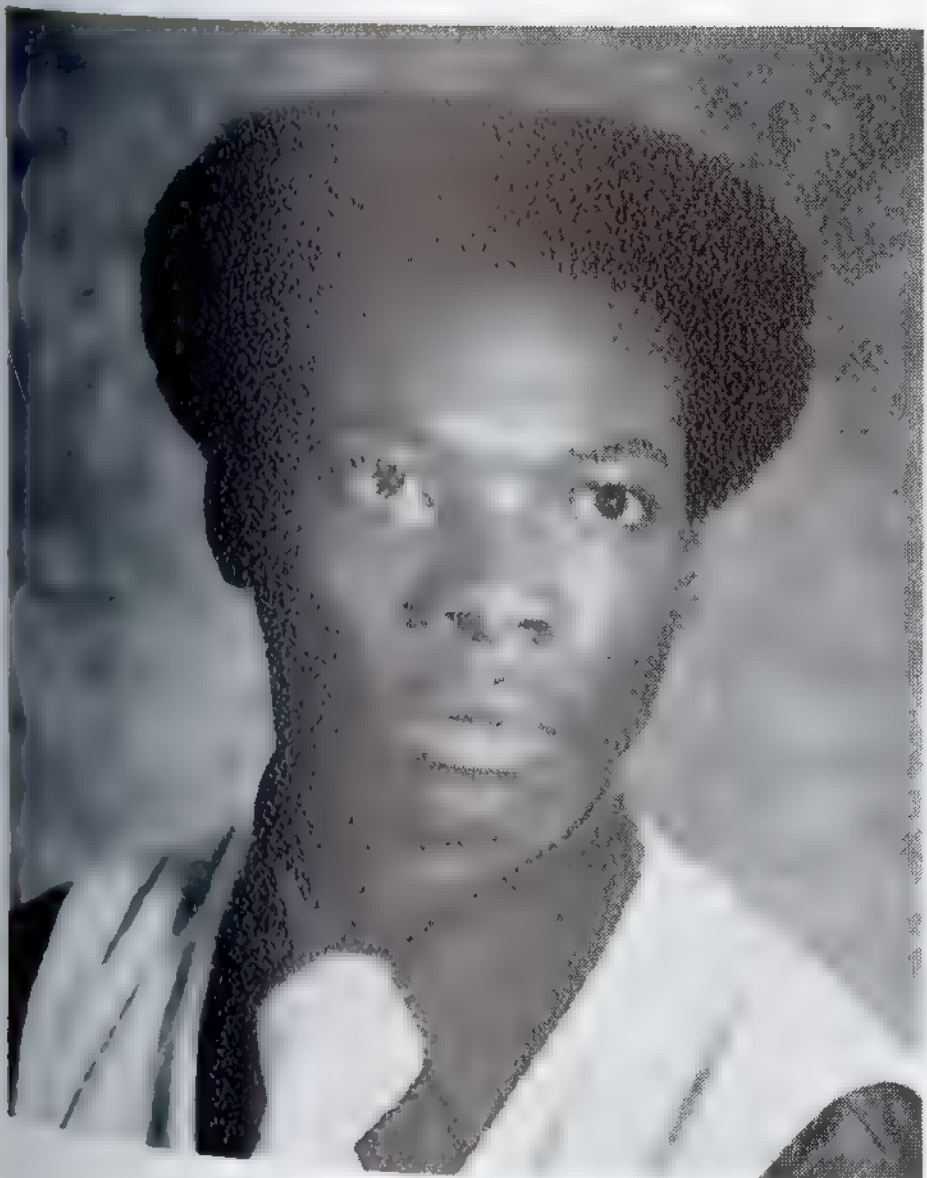
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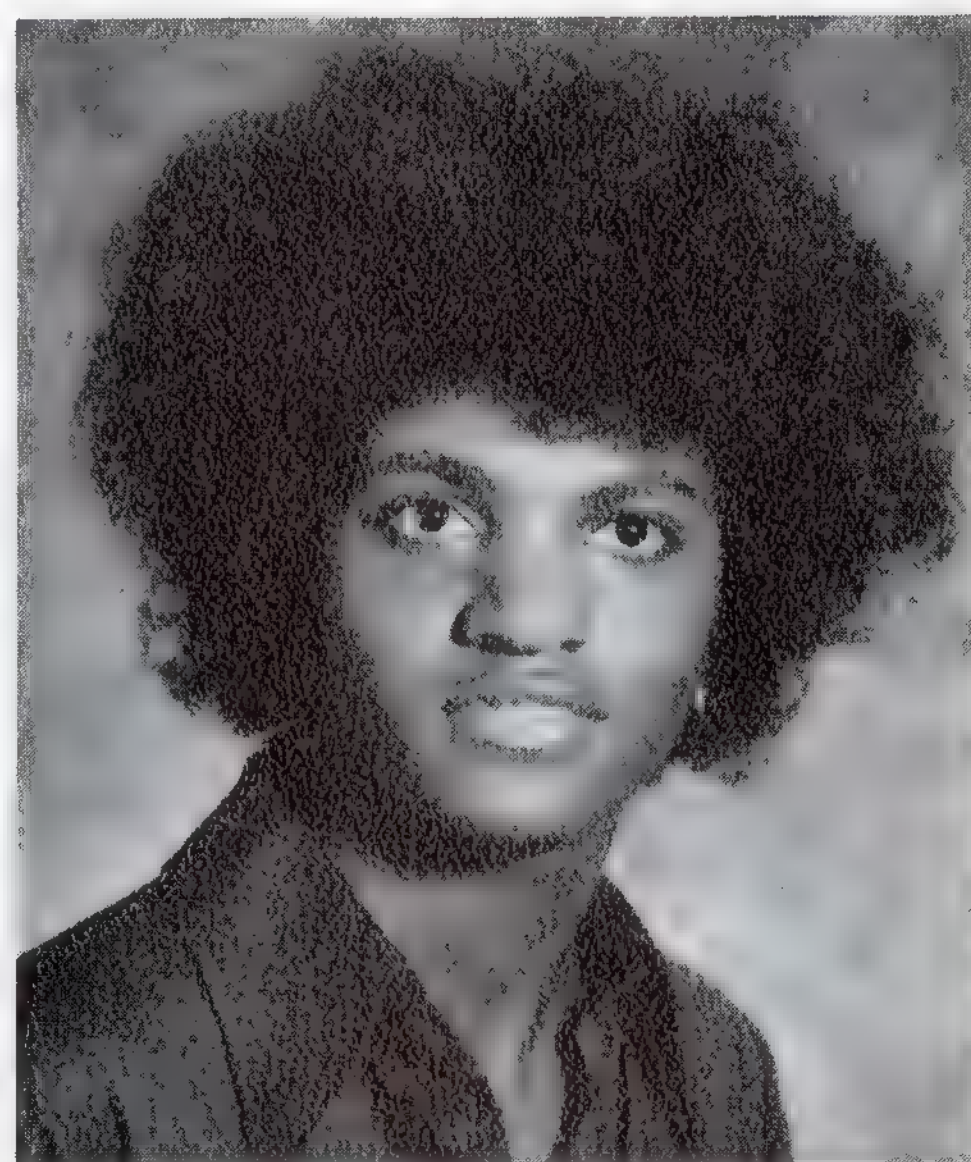
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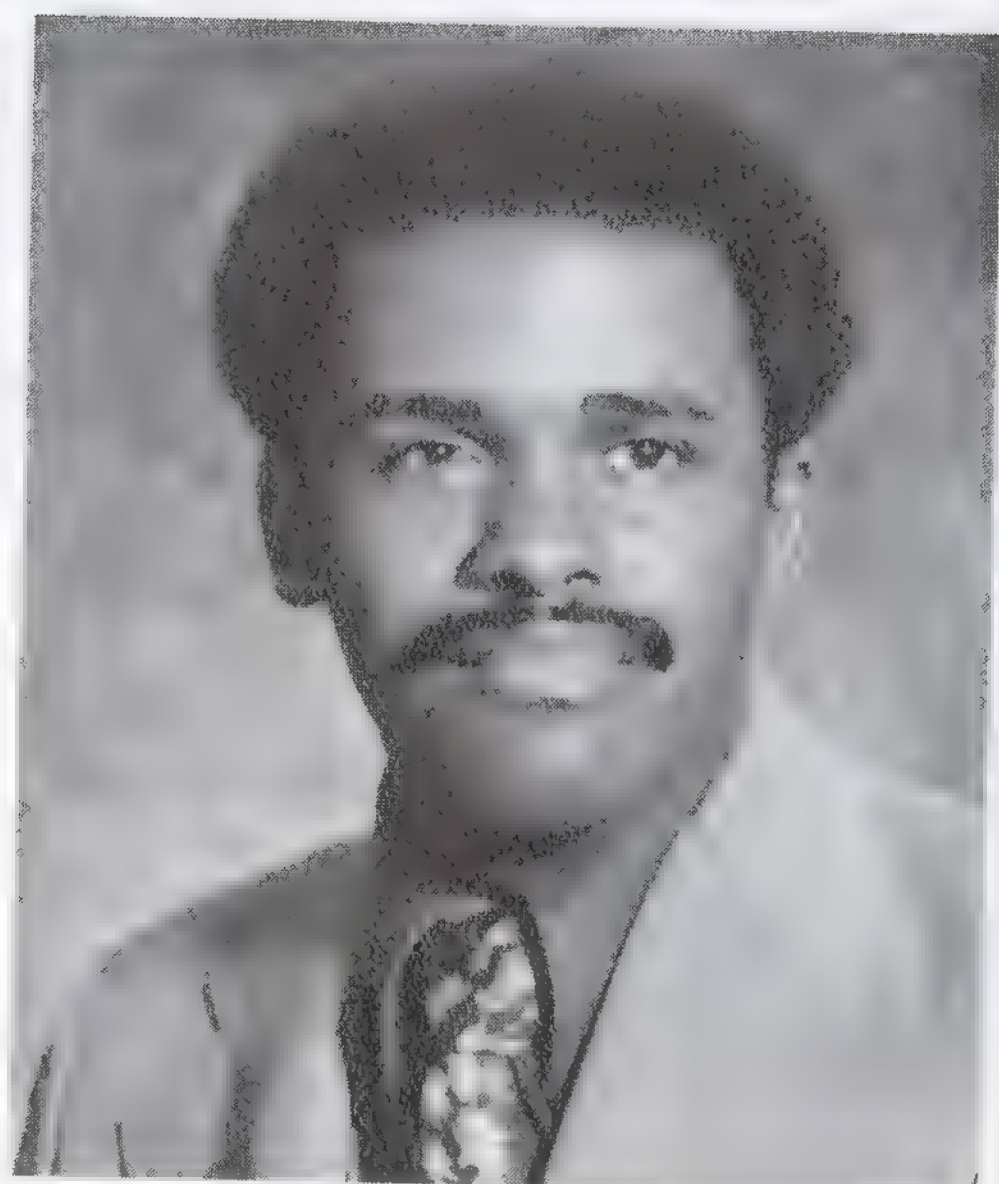
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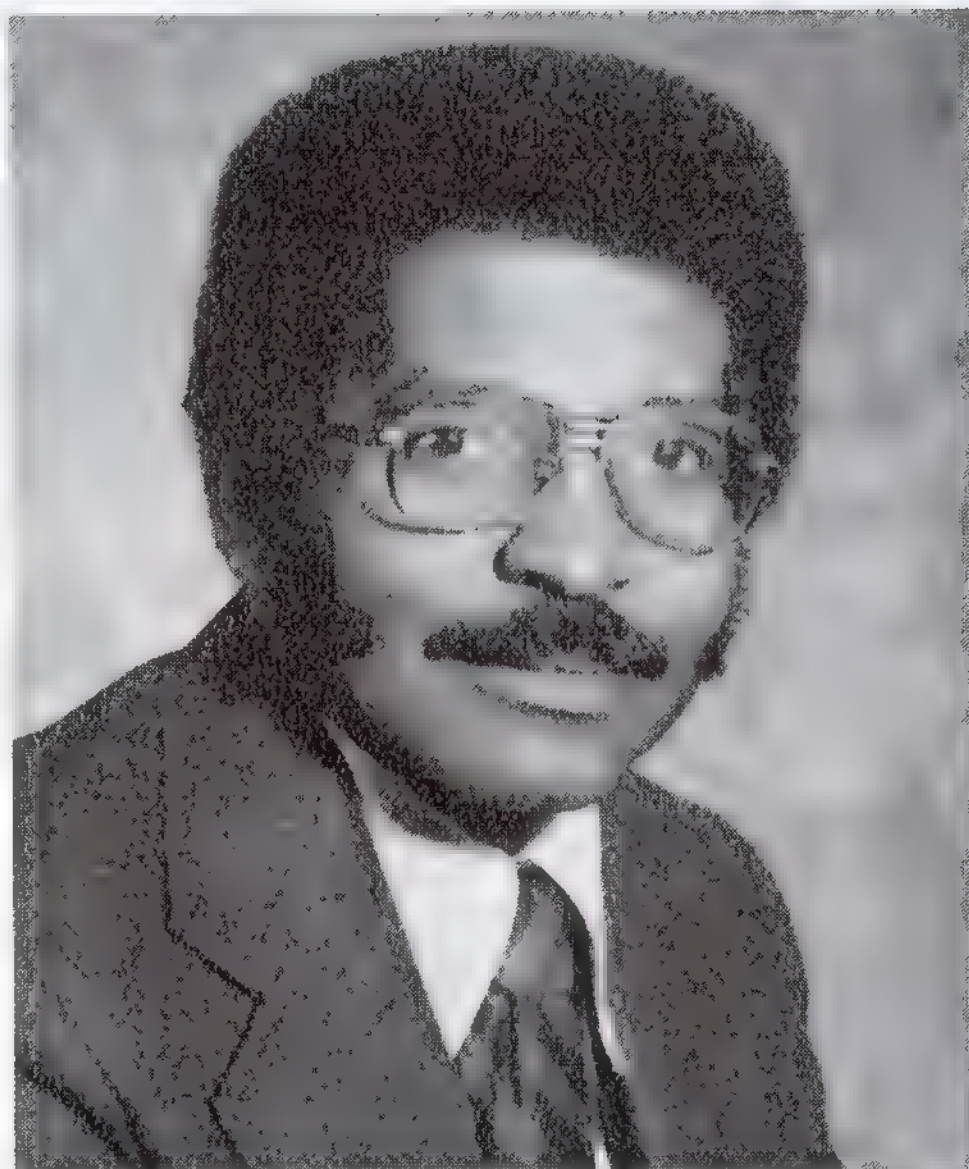
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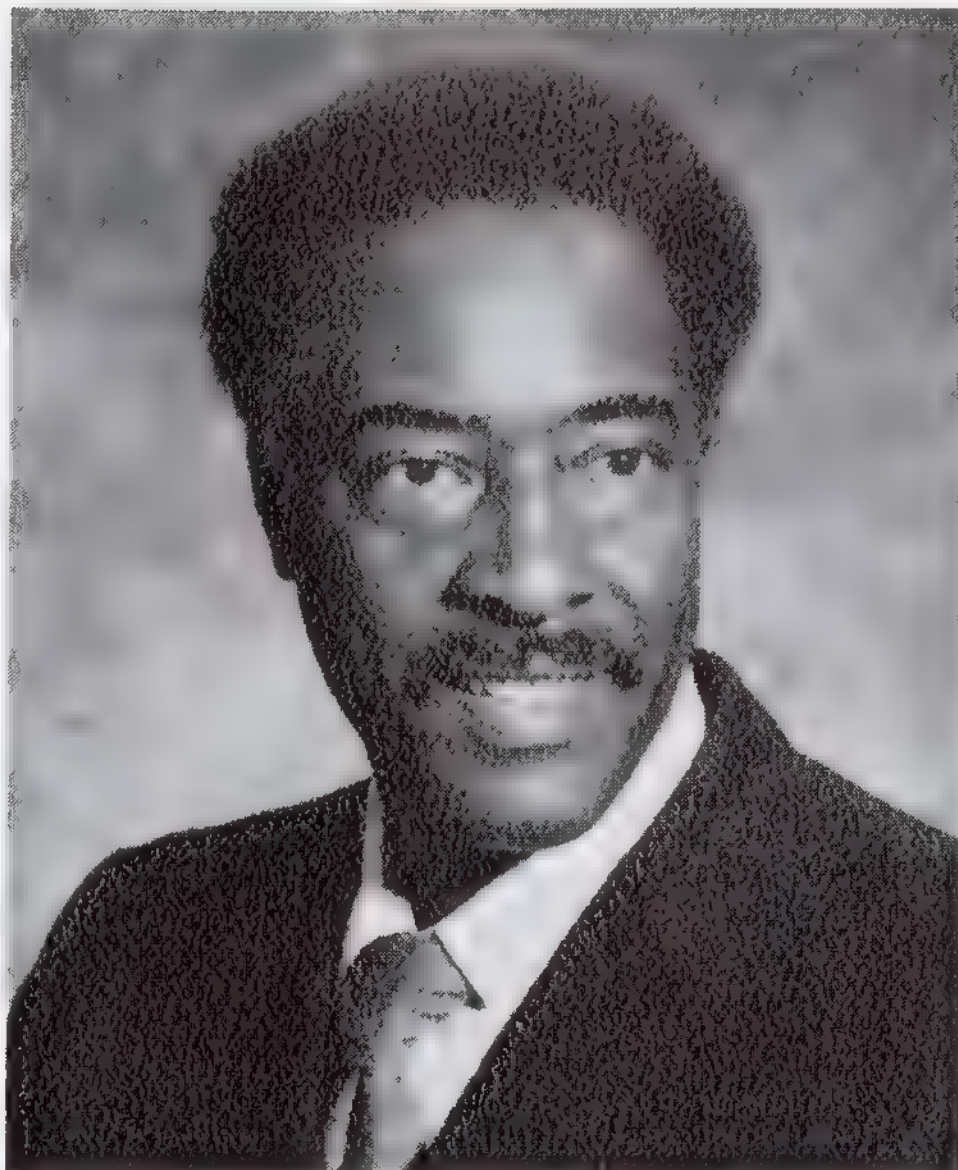
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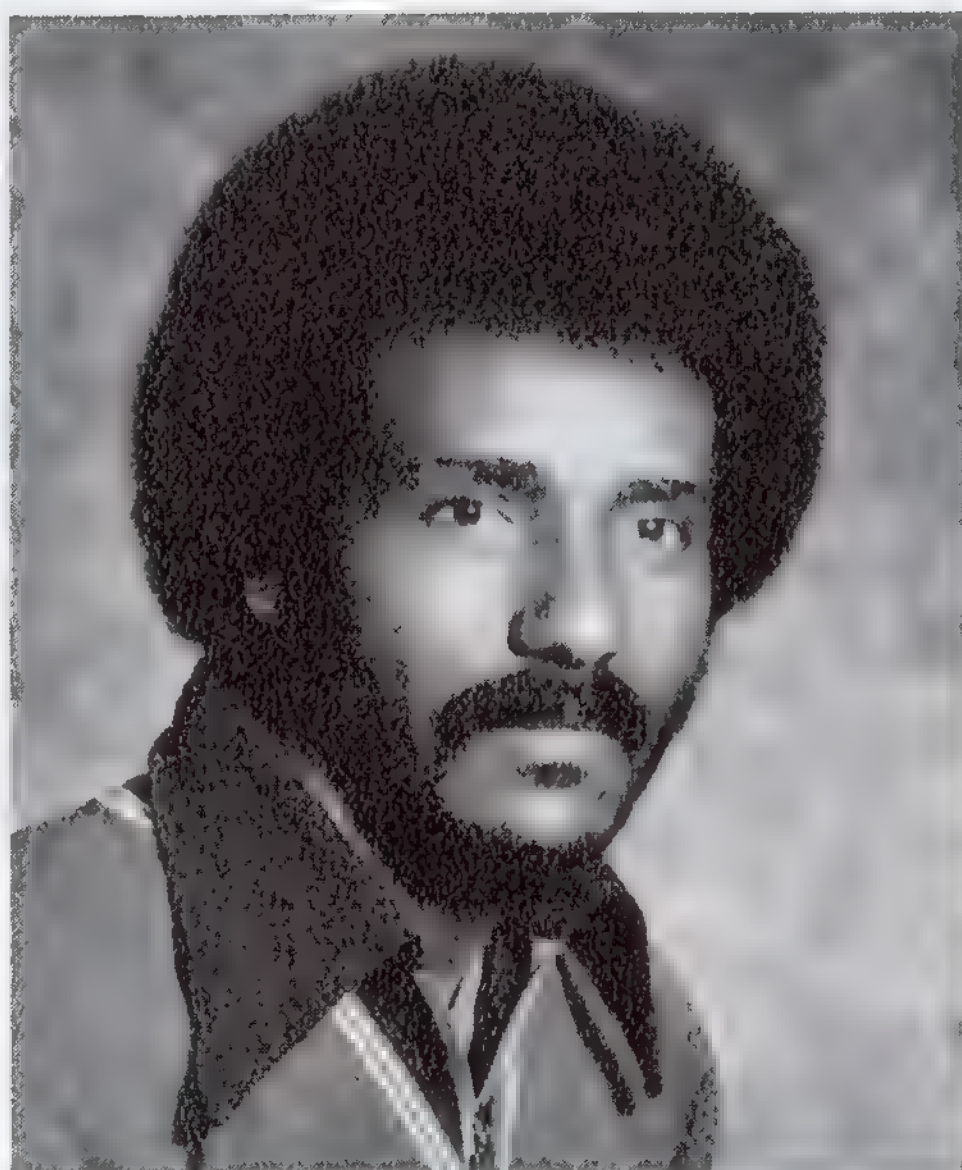
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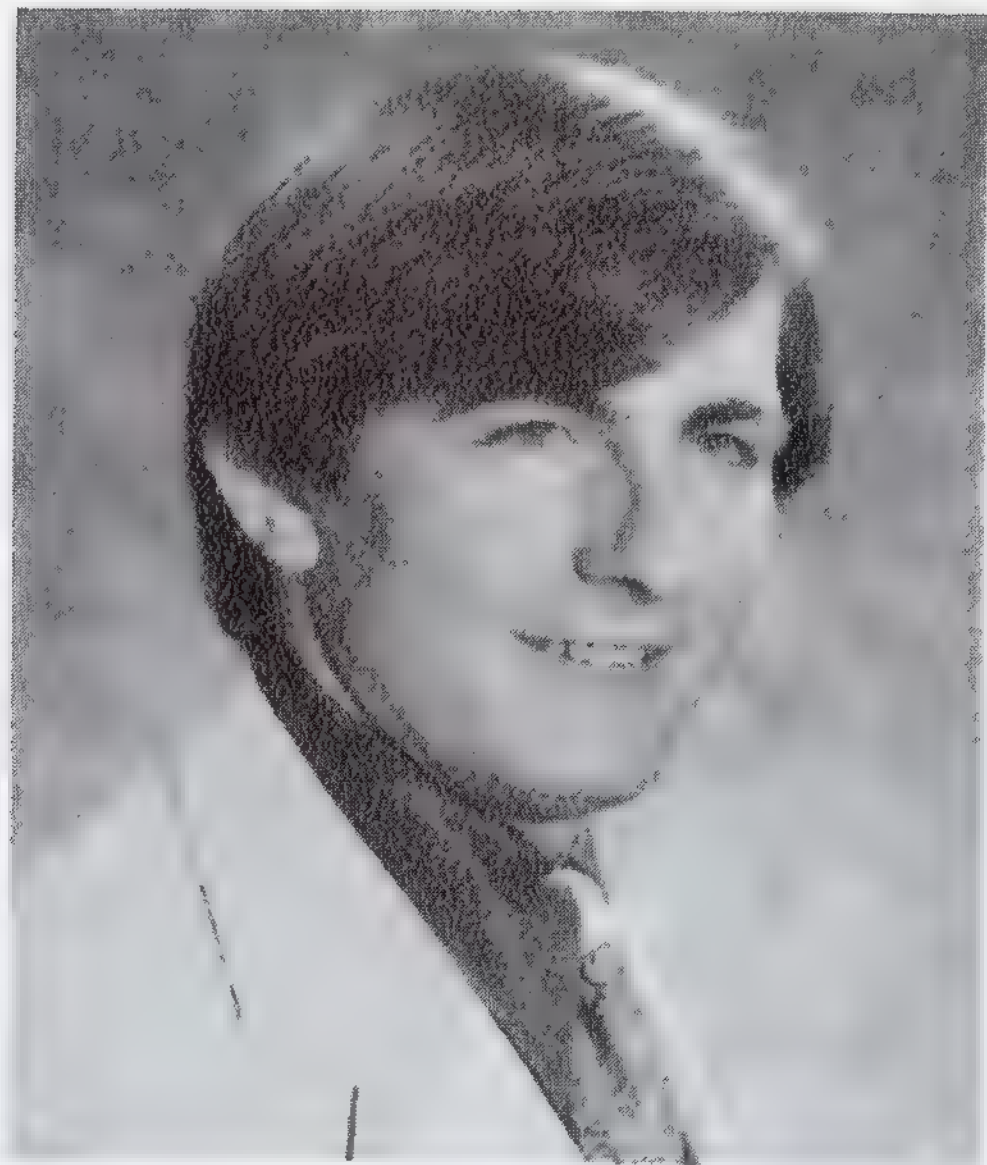
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Juliet Howard



Naomi Hunter



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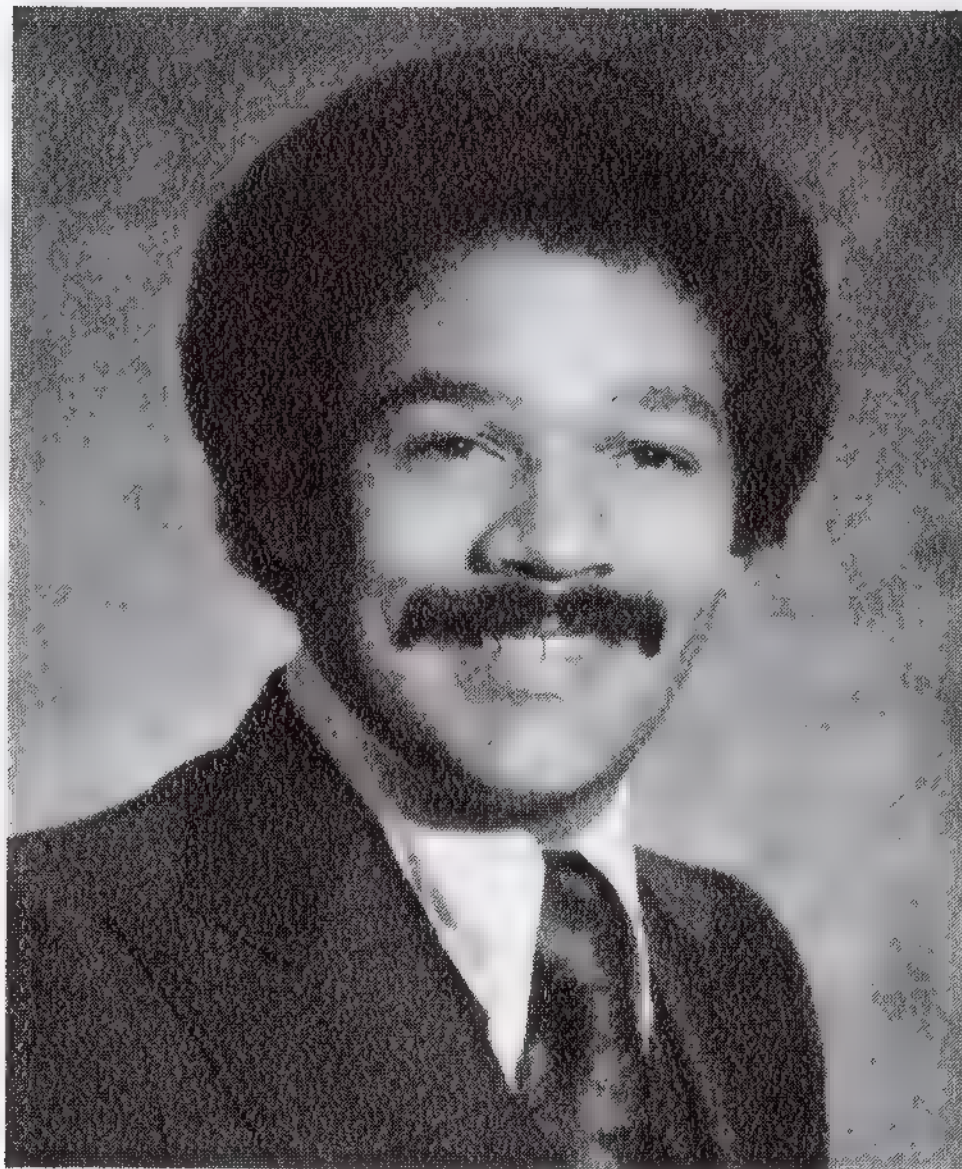
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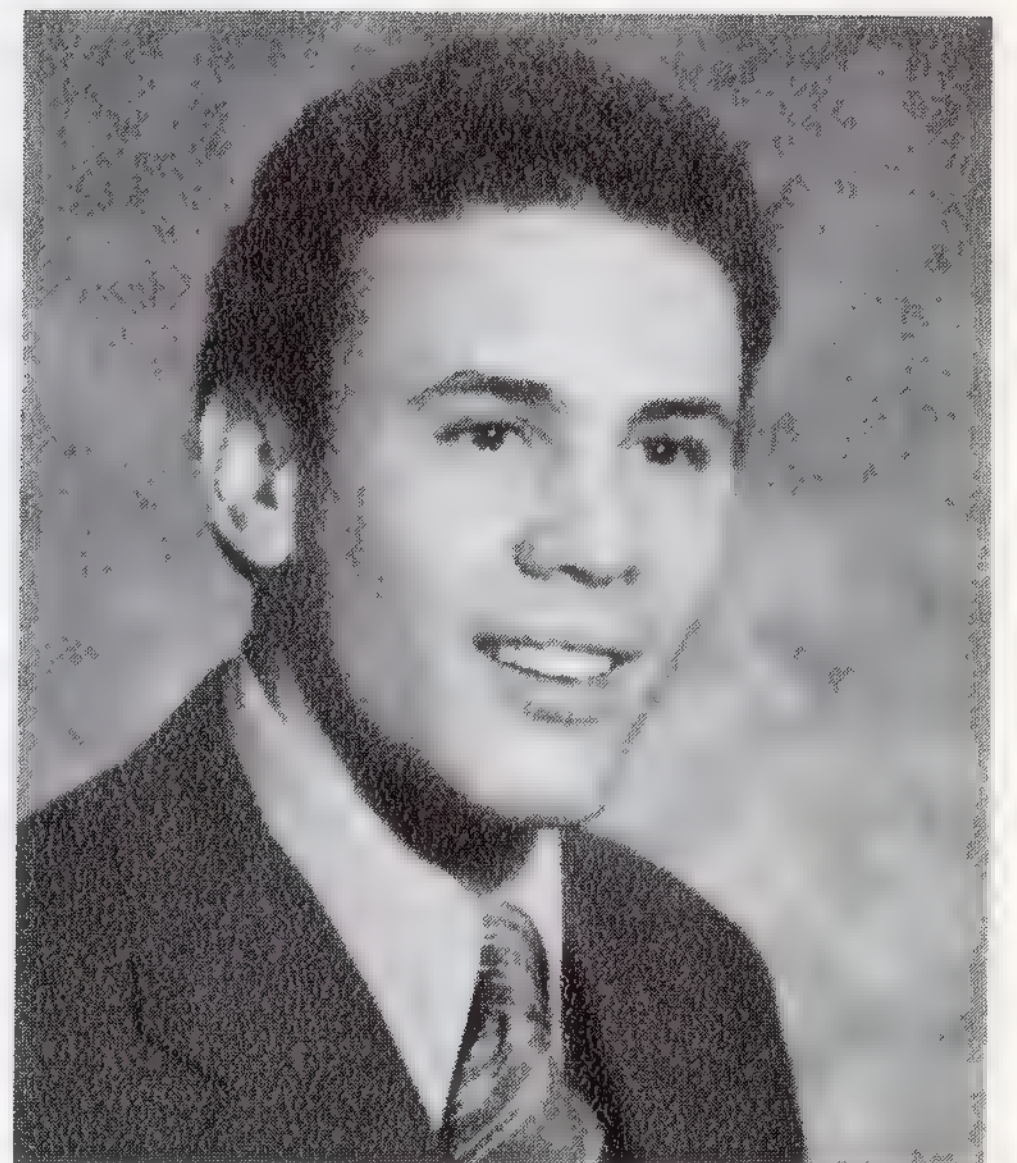
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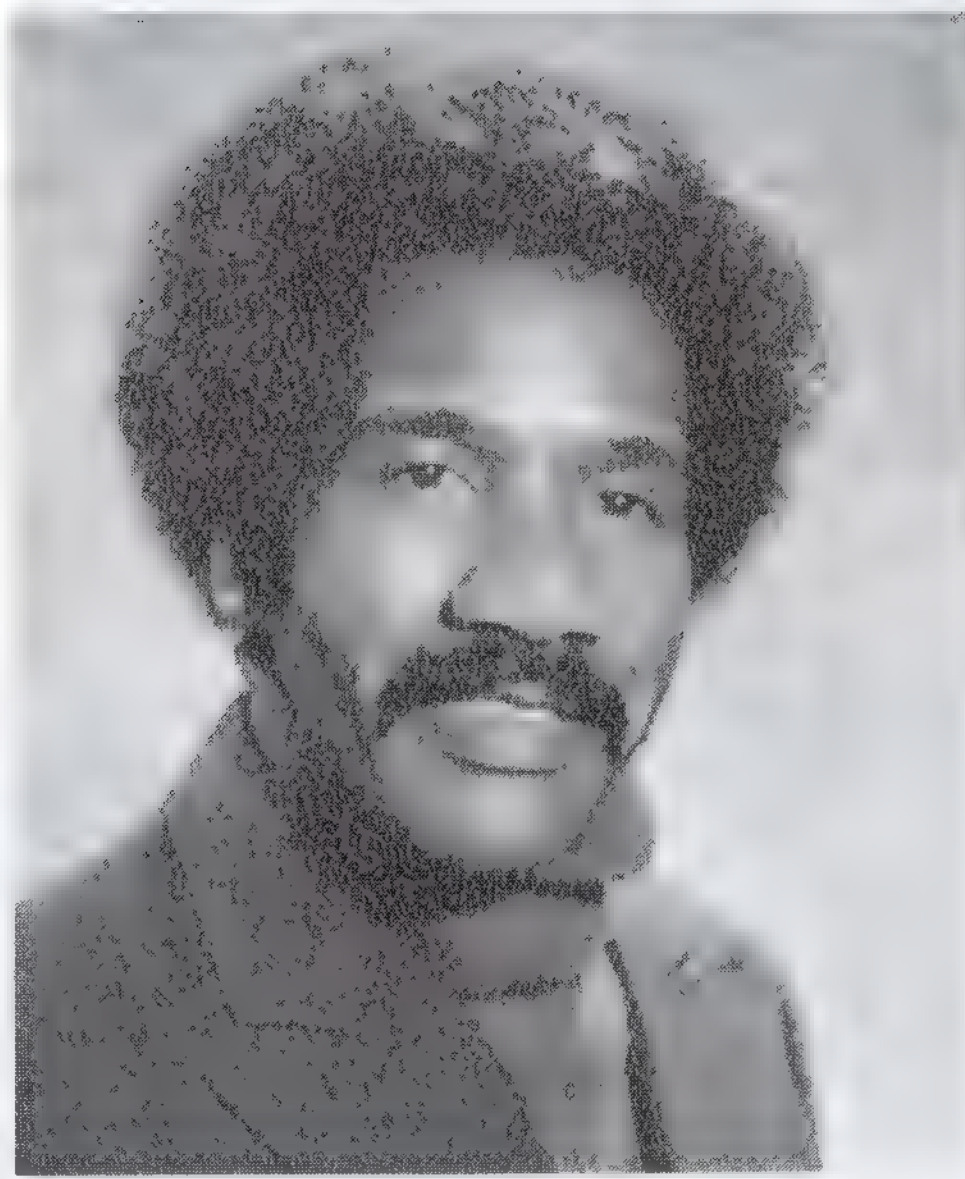
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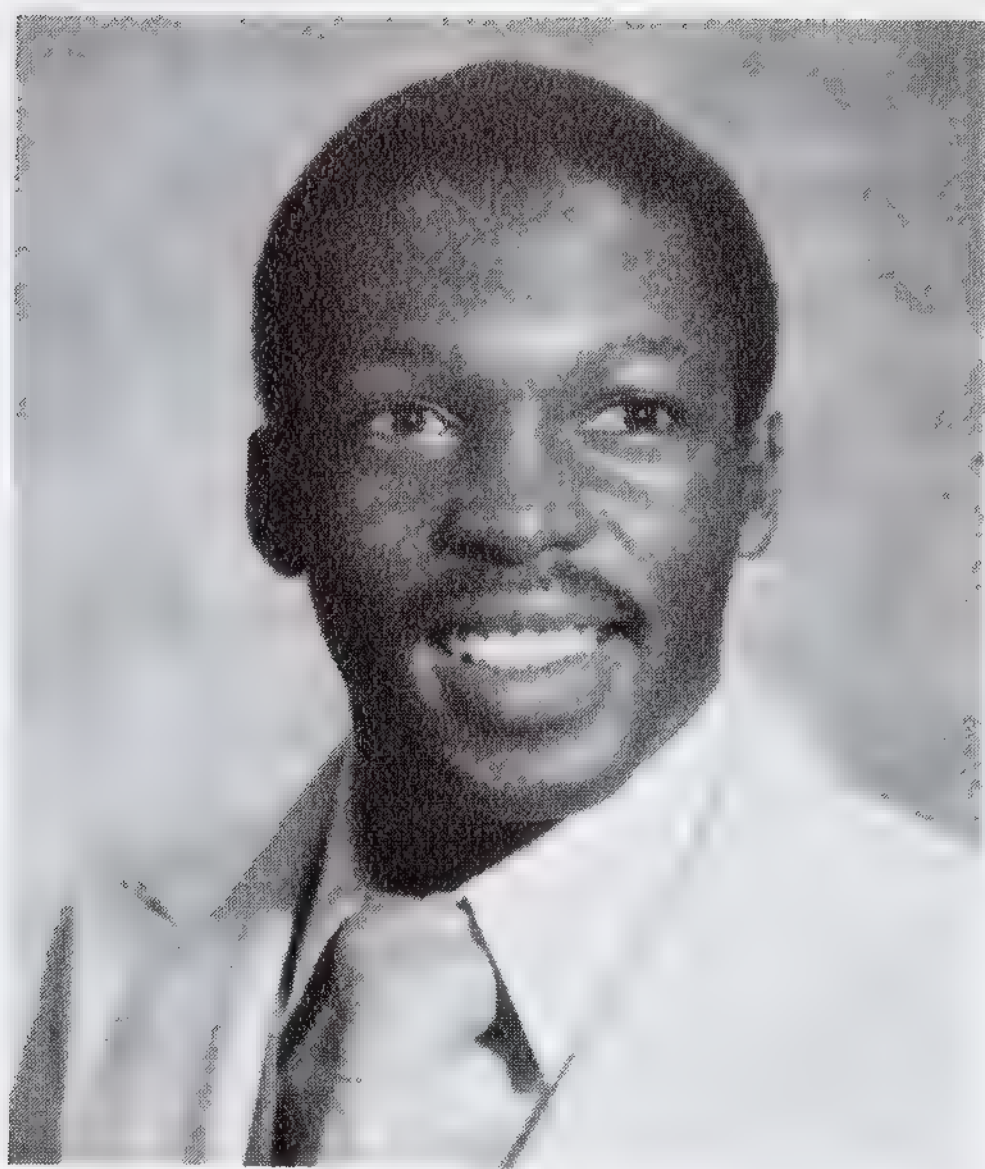
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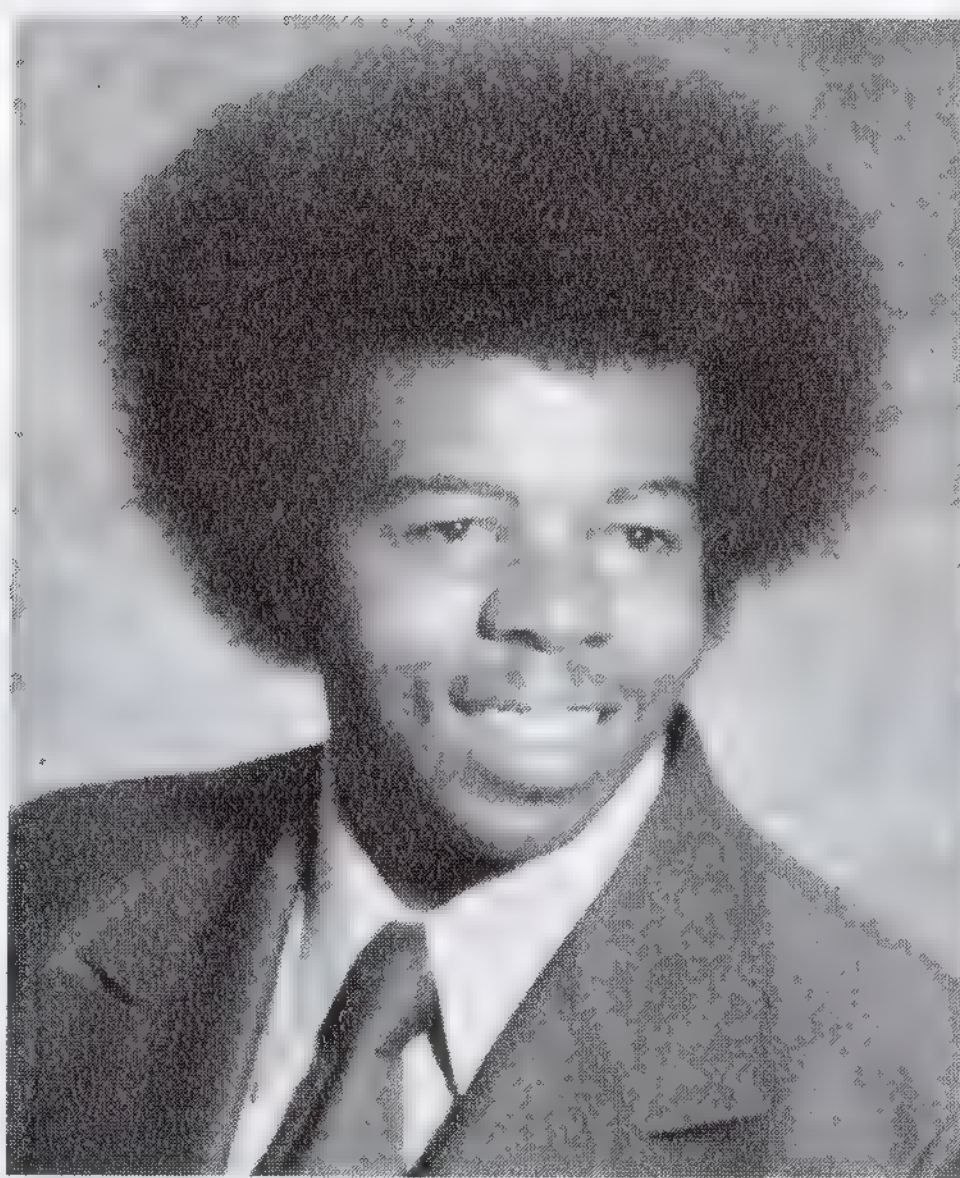
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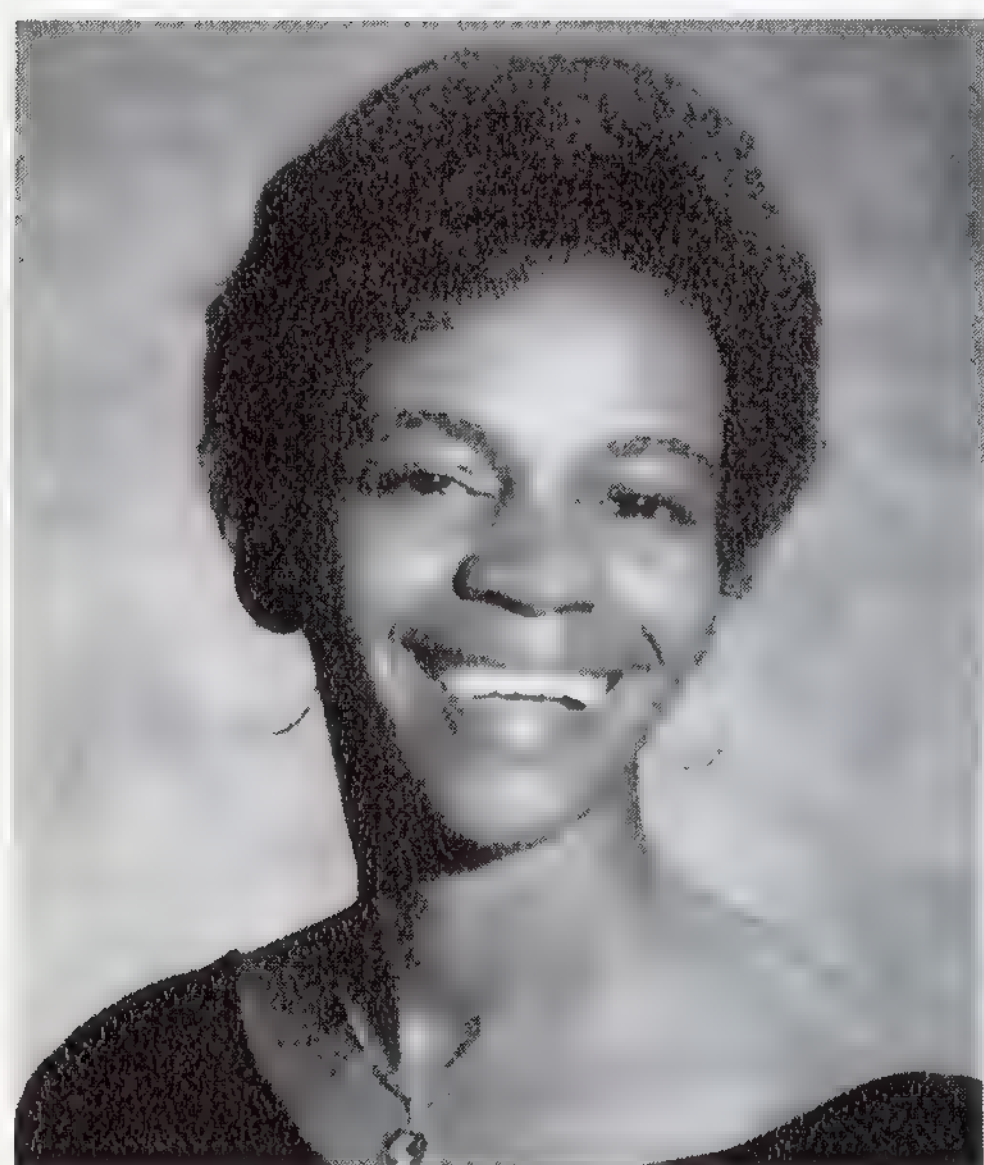
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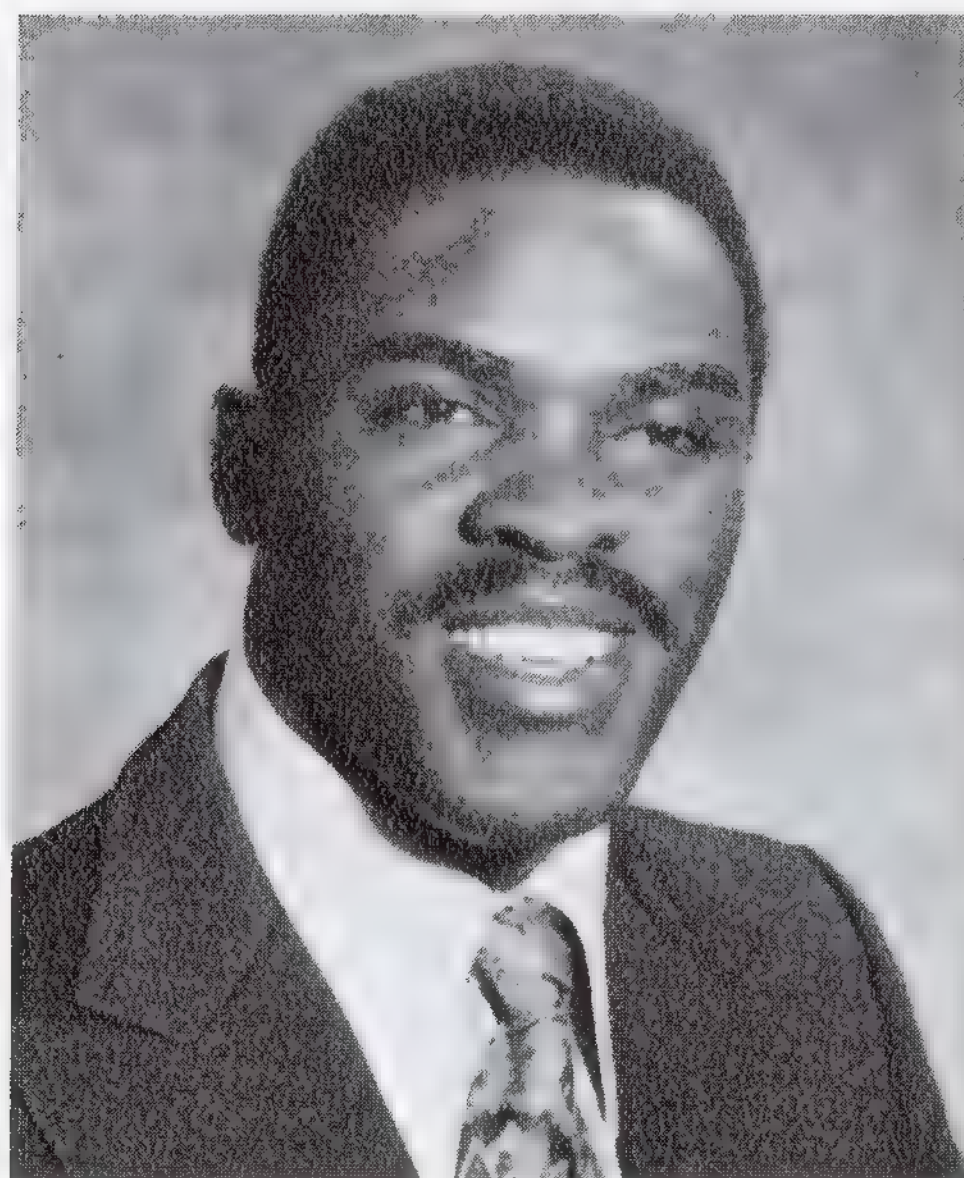
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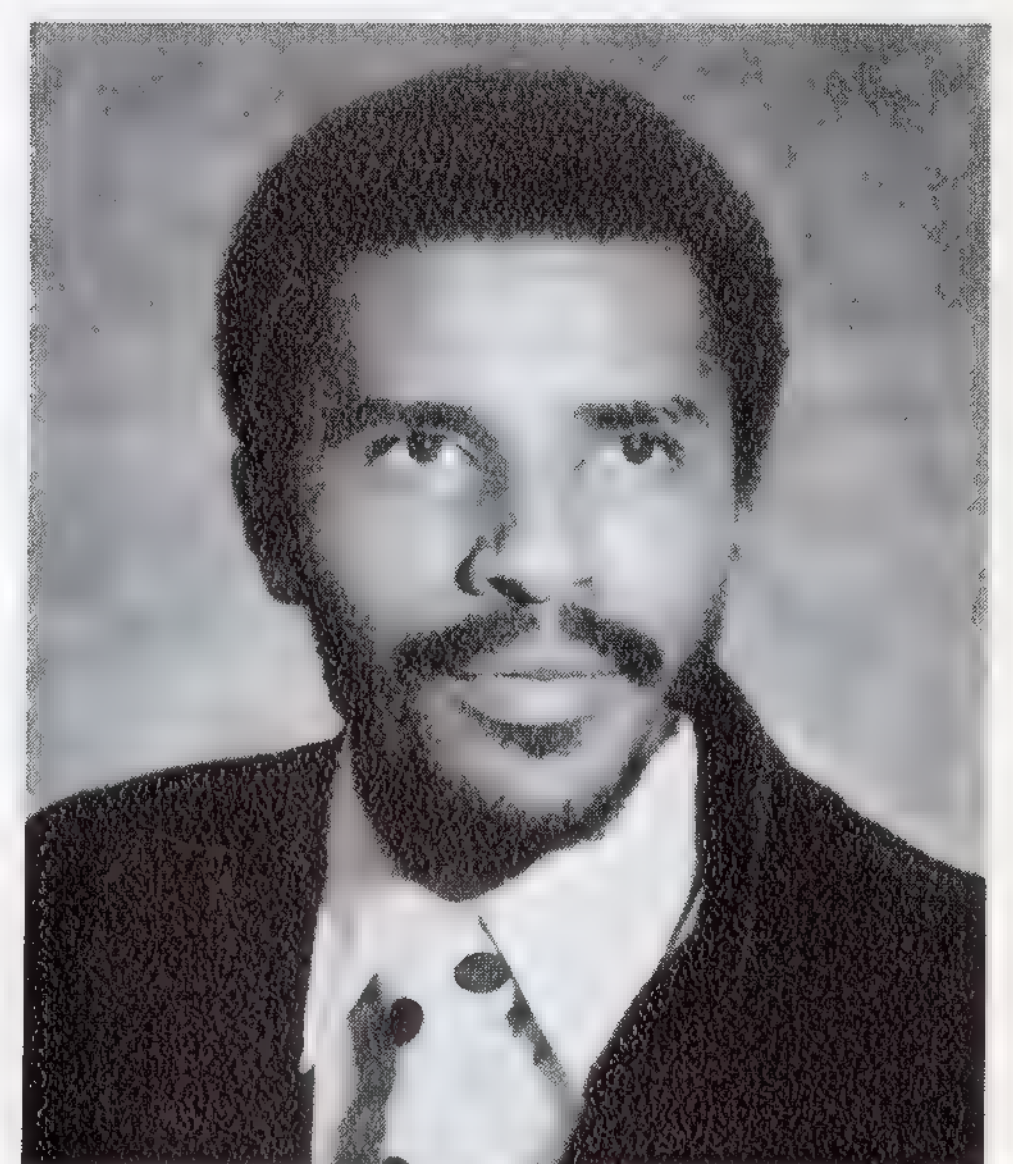
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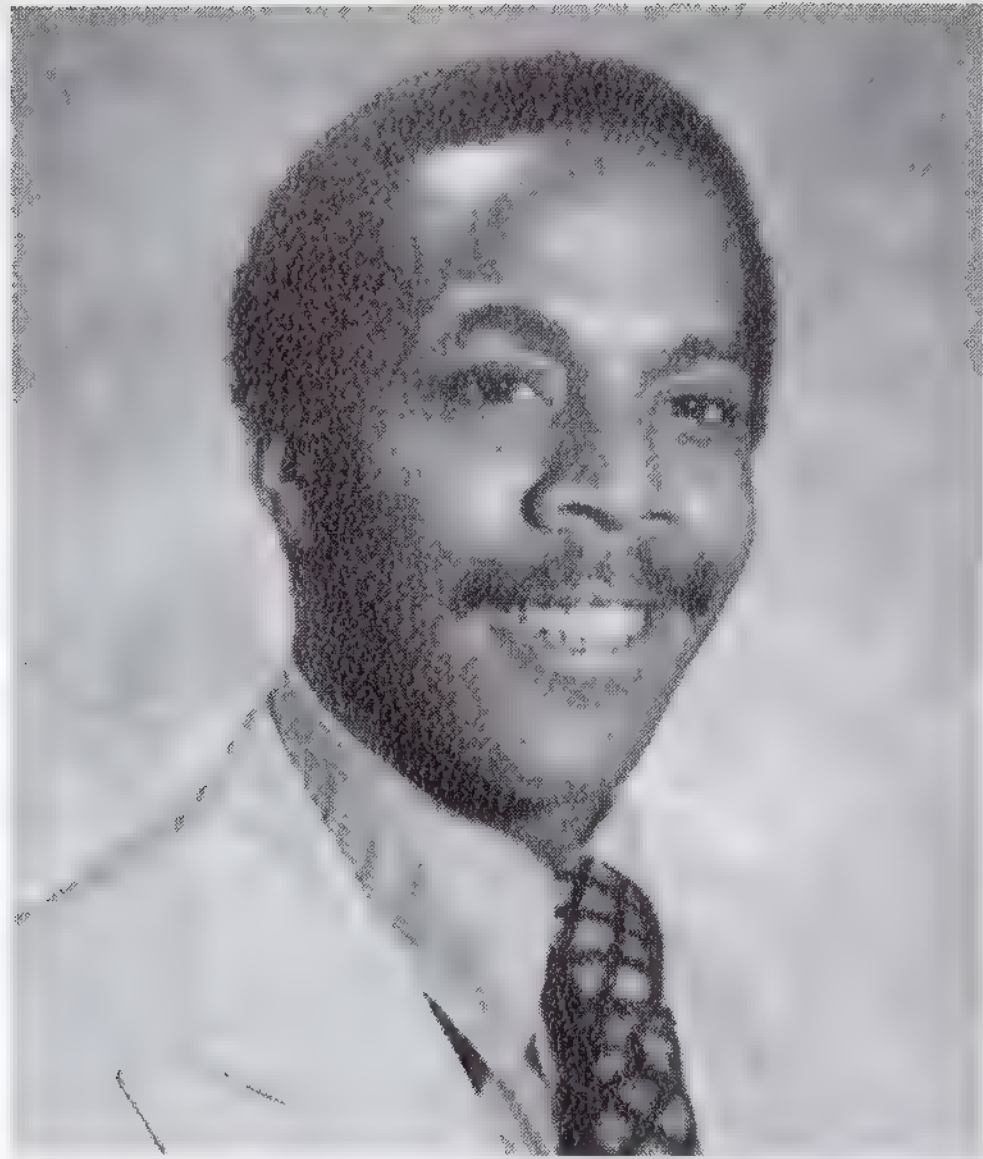
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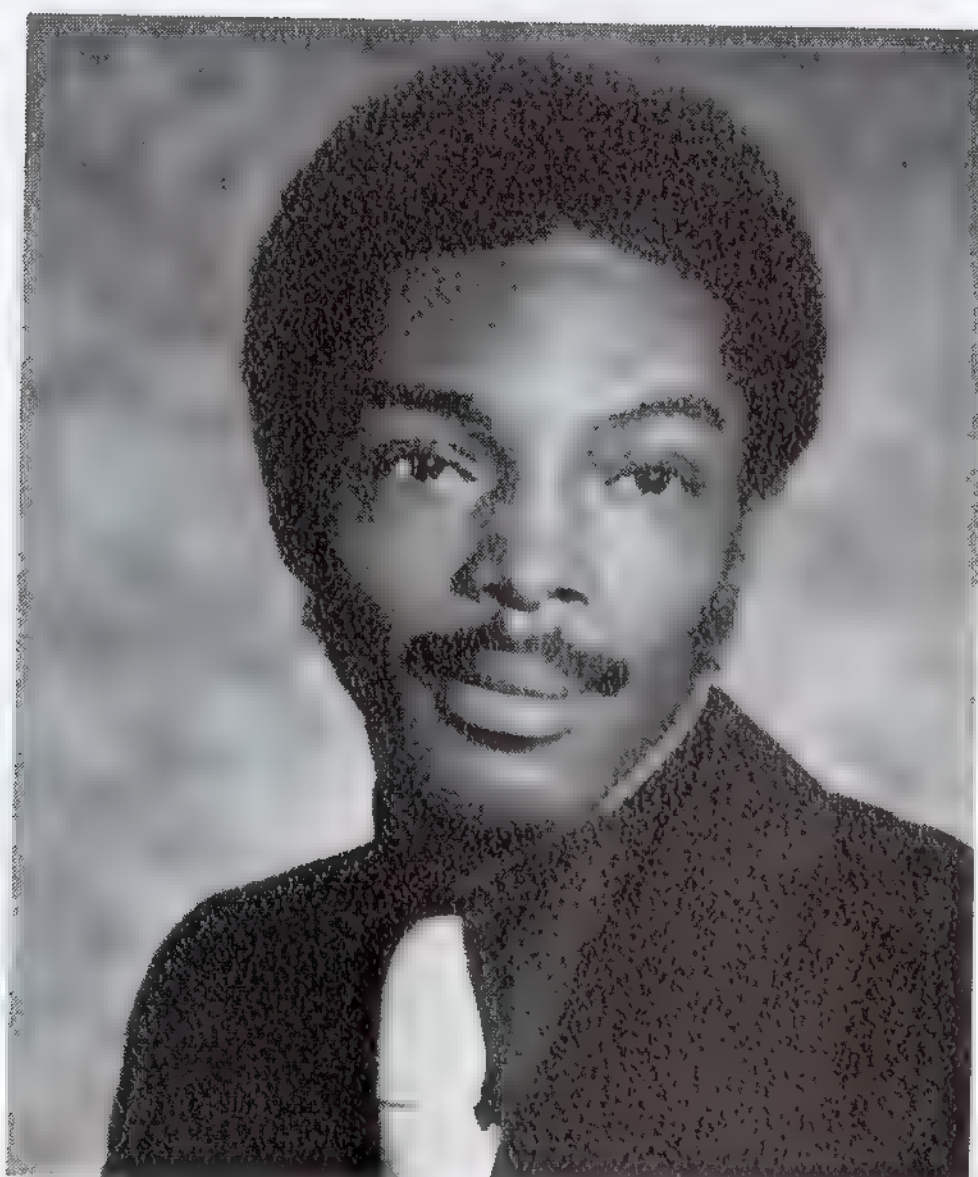
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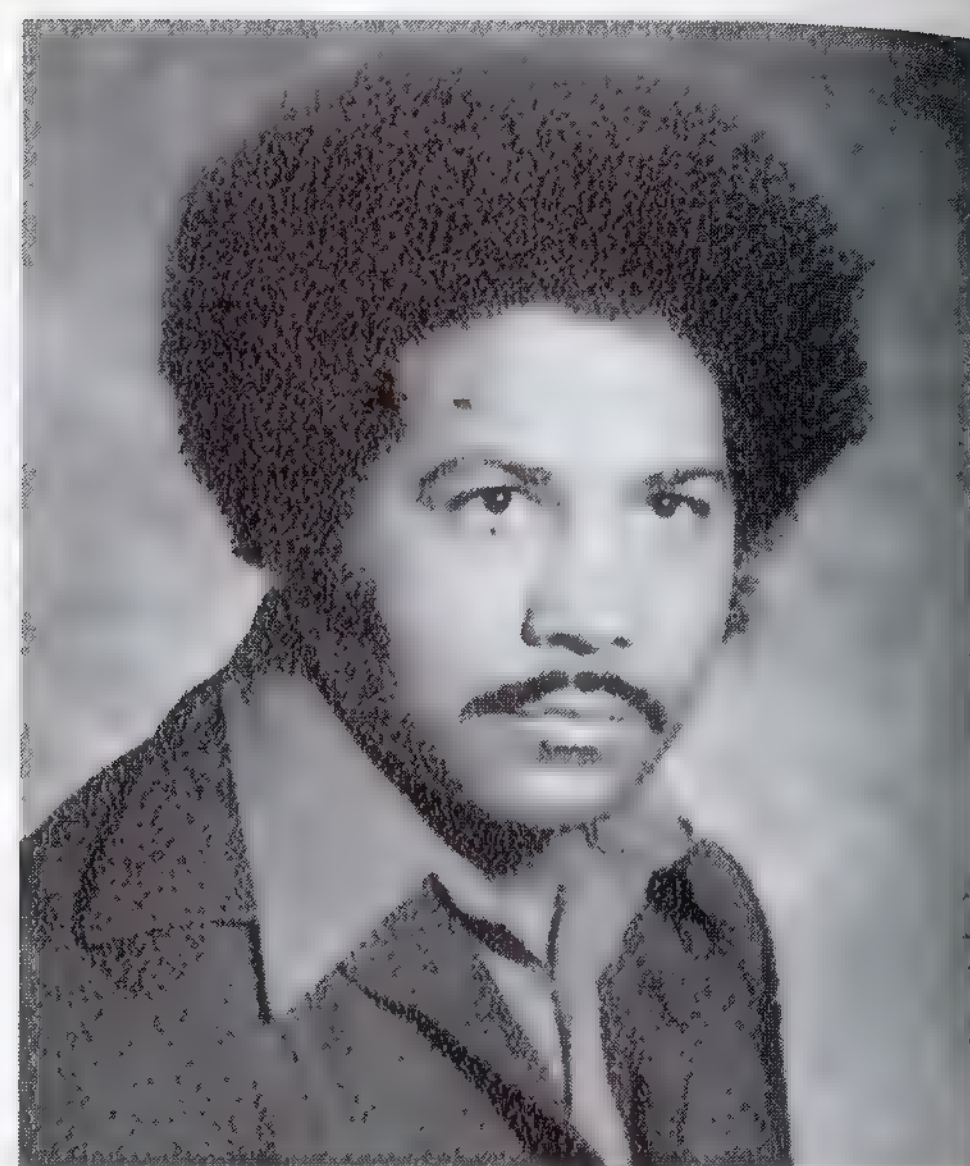
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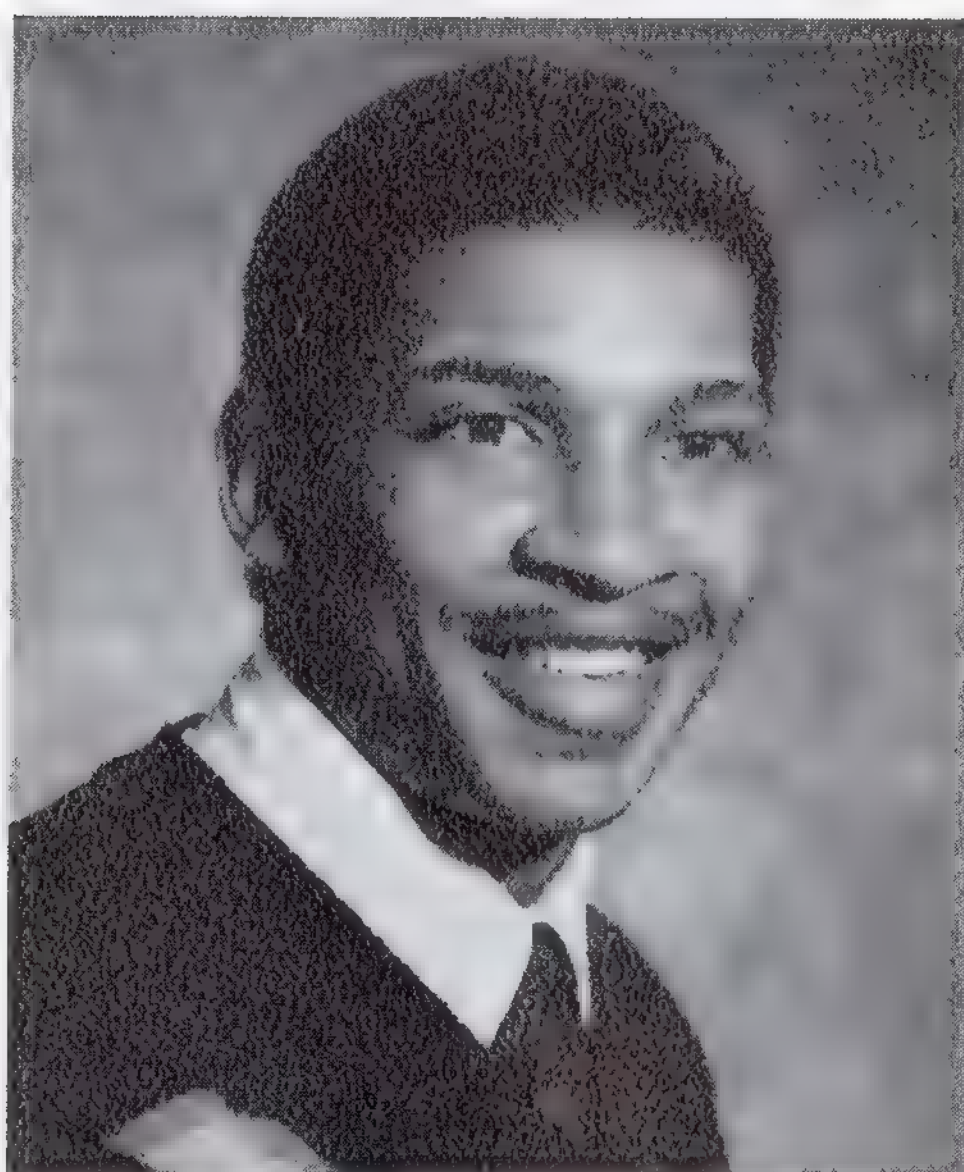
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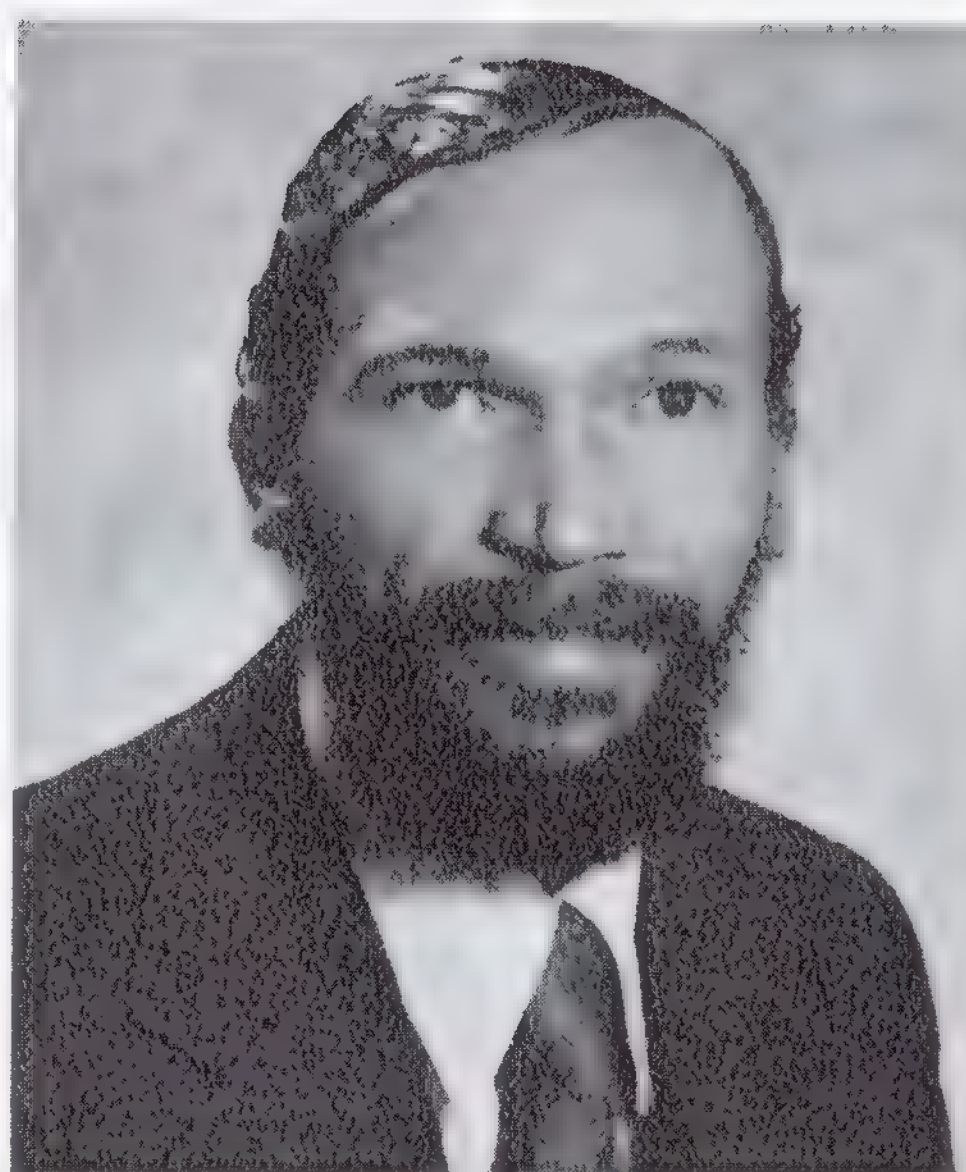
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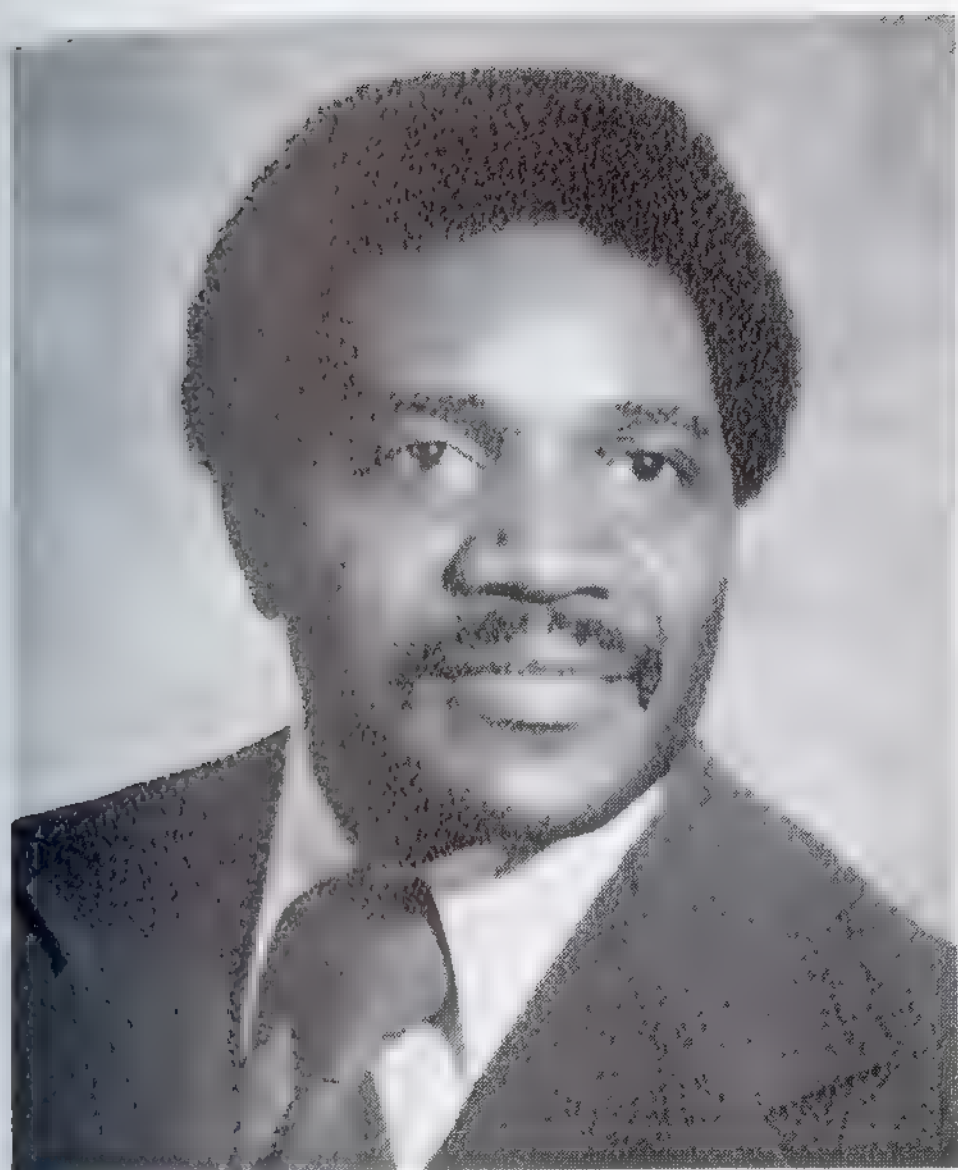
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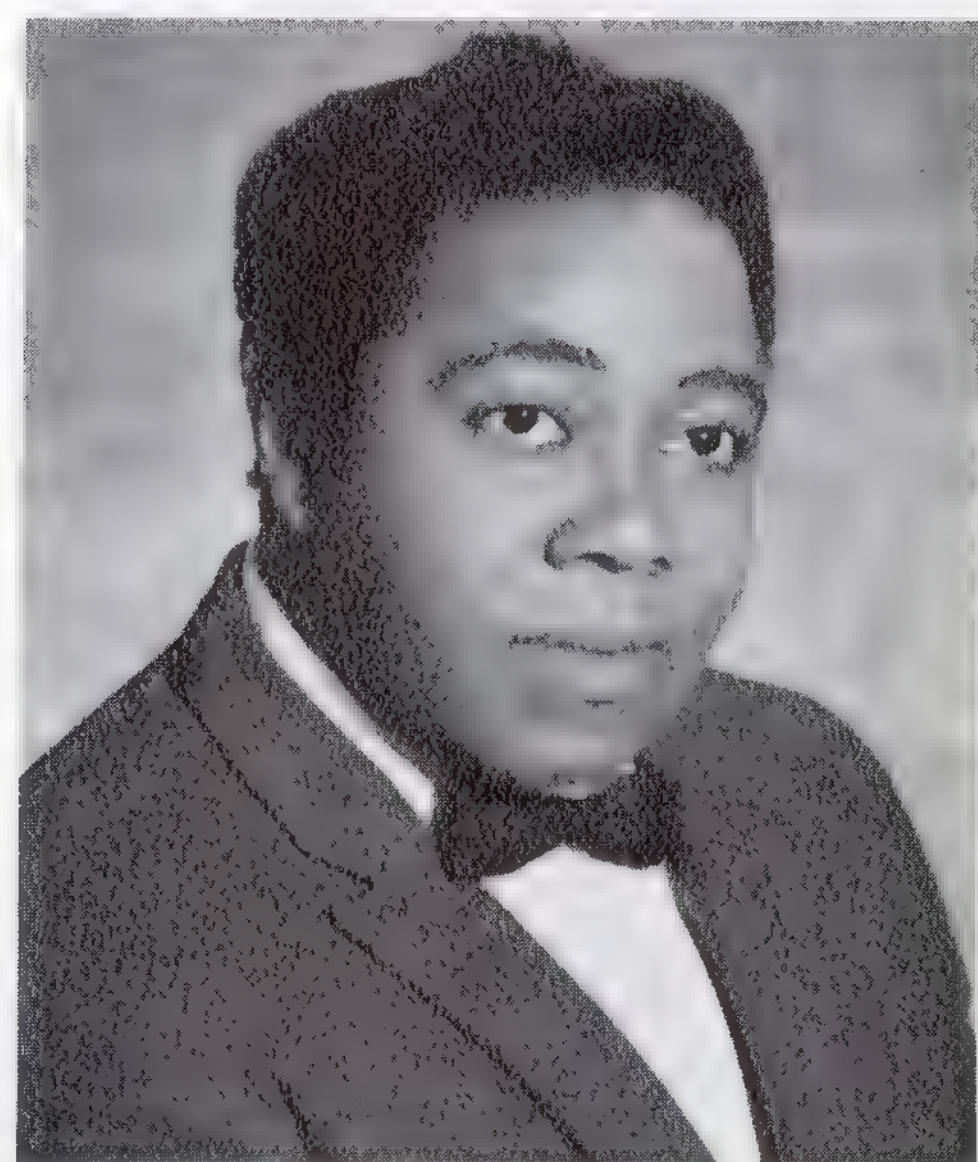
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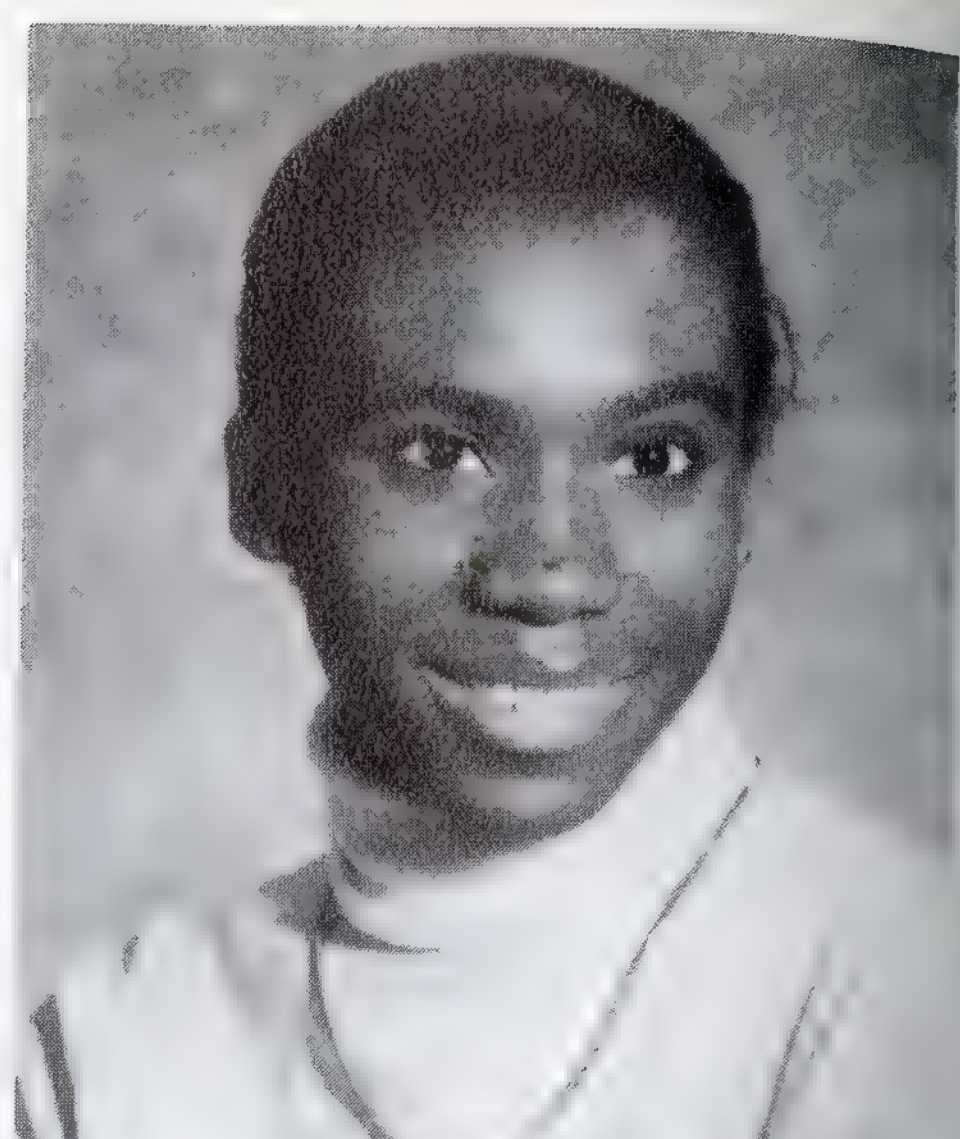
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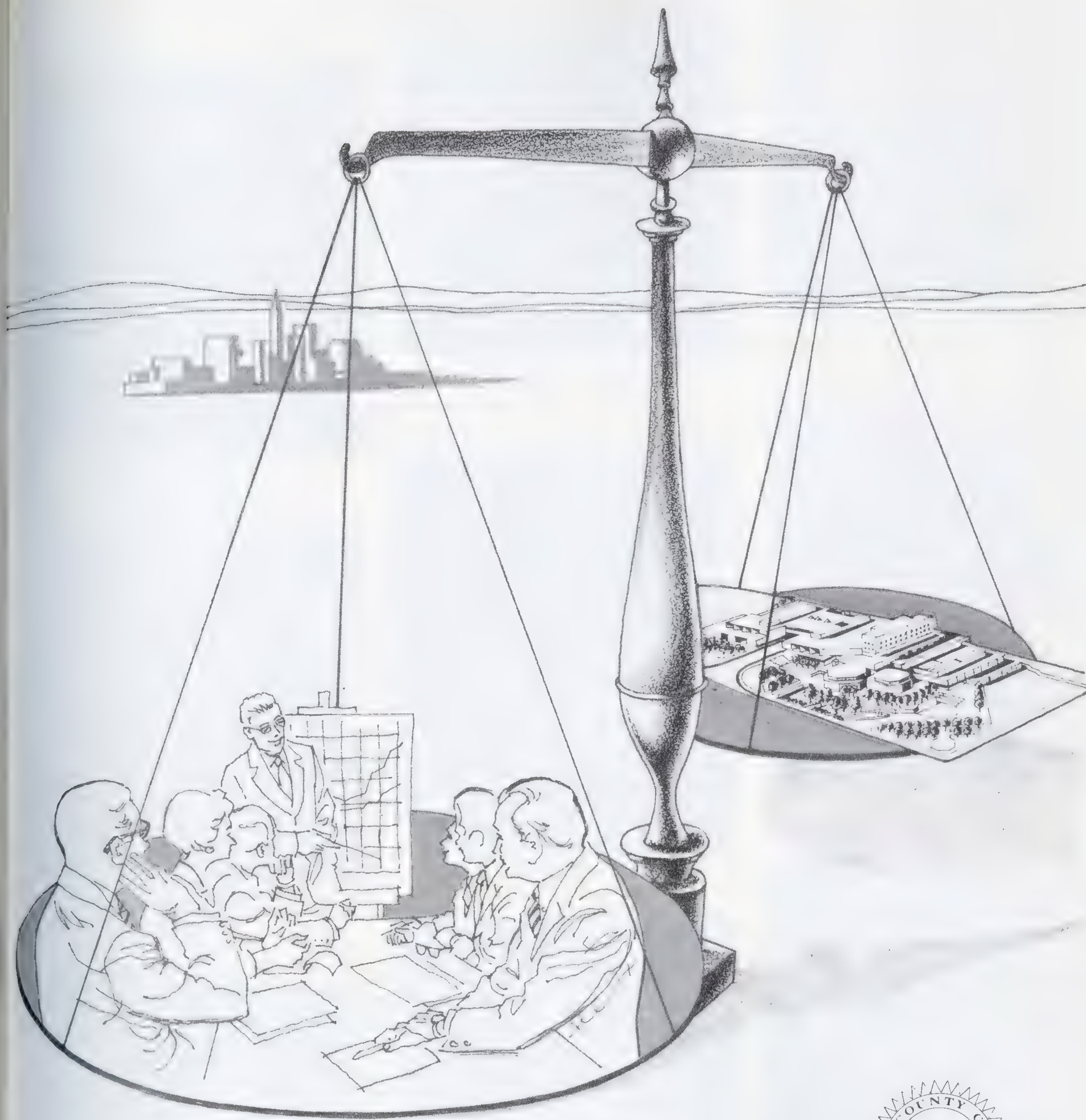
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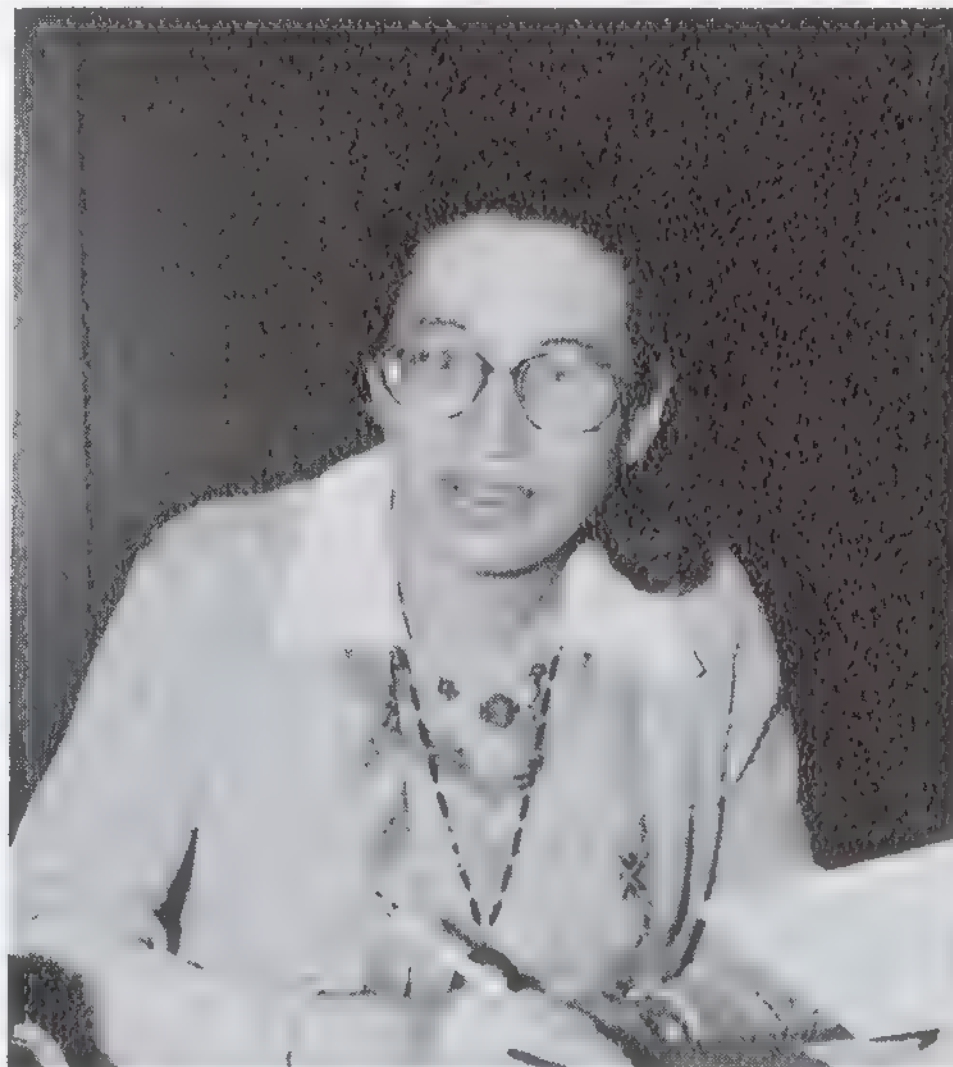
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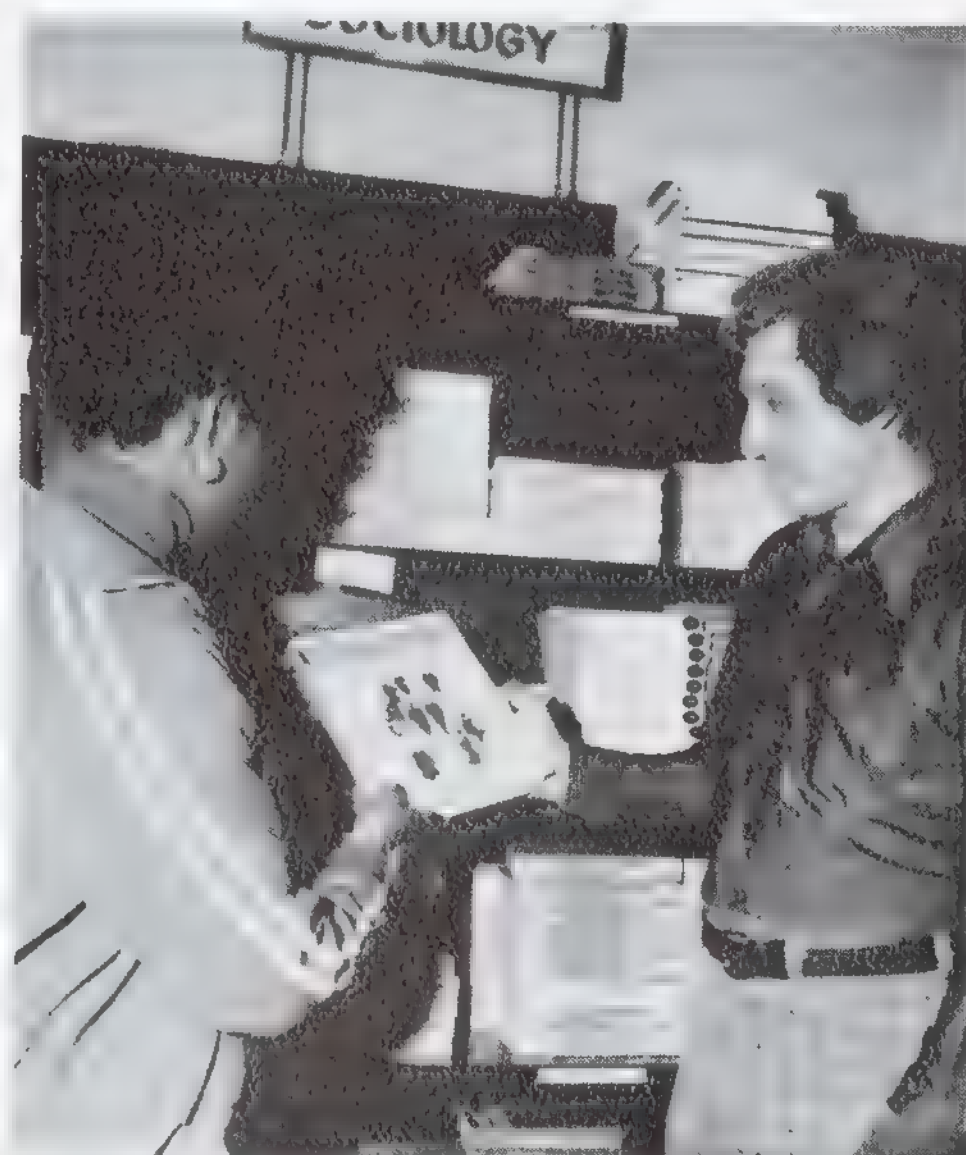
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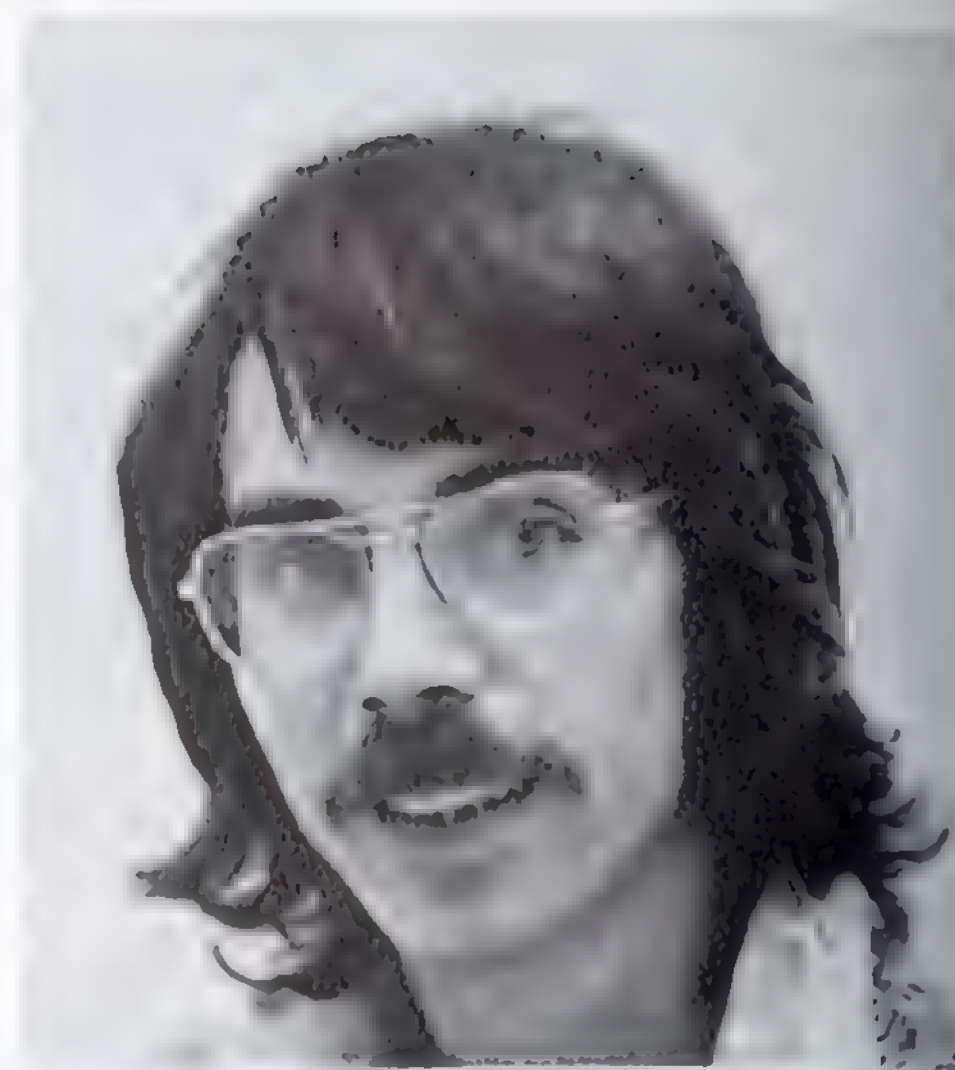
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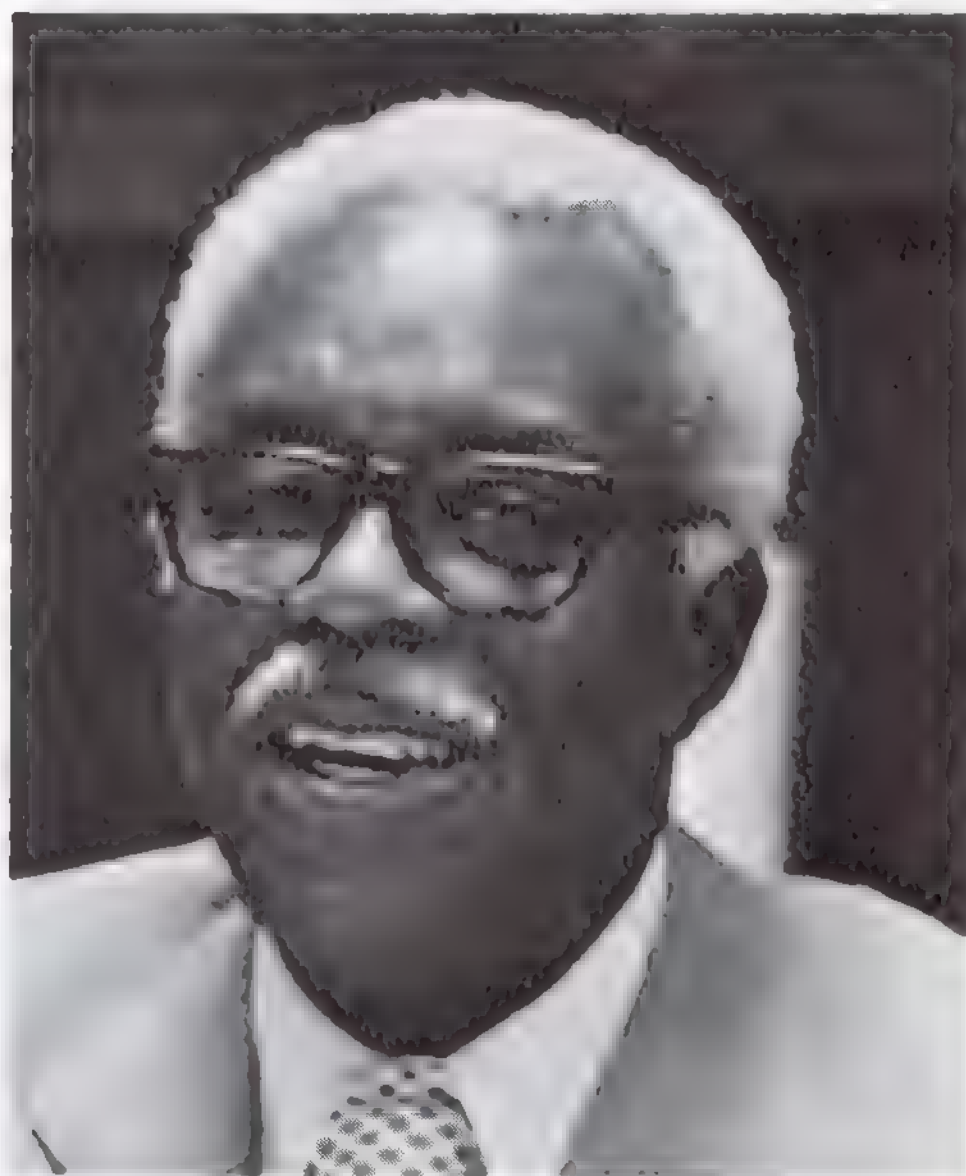
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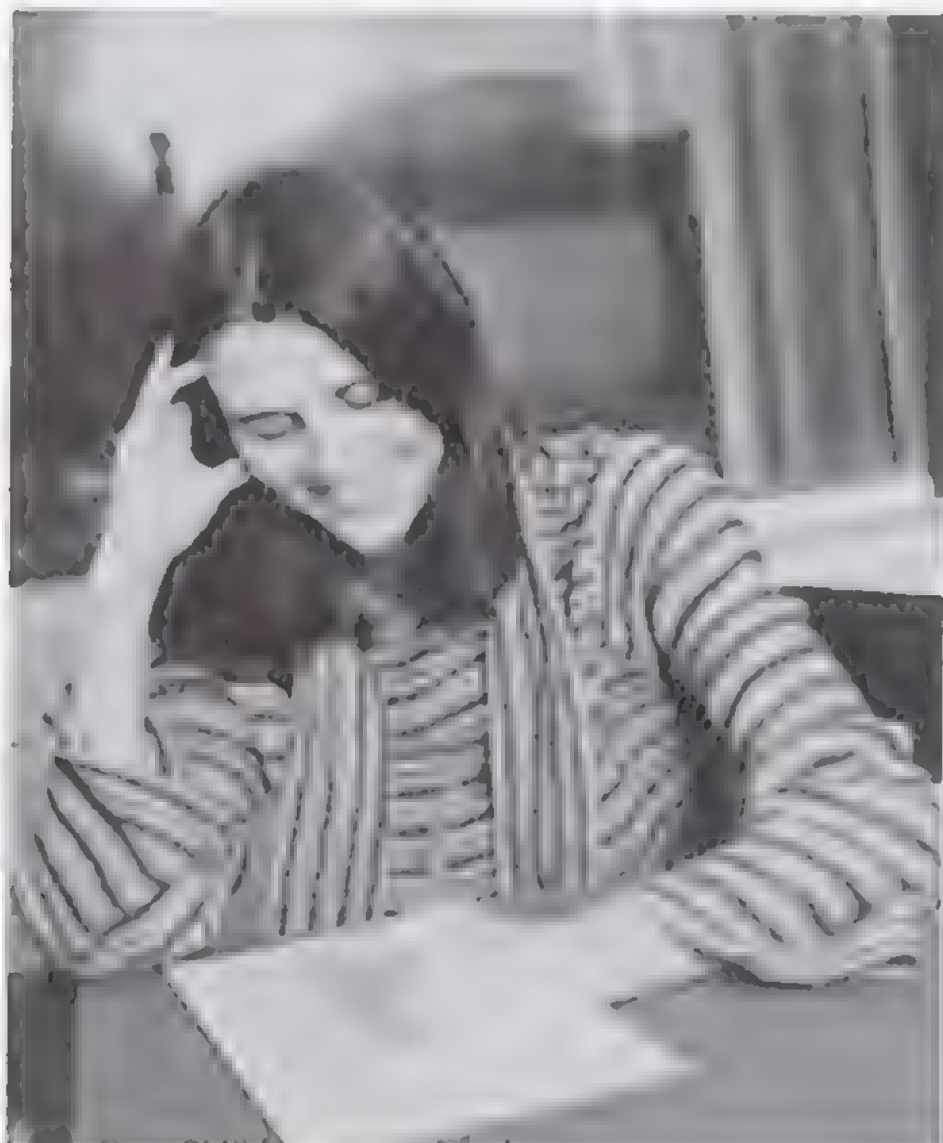
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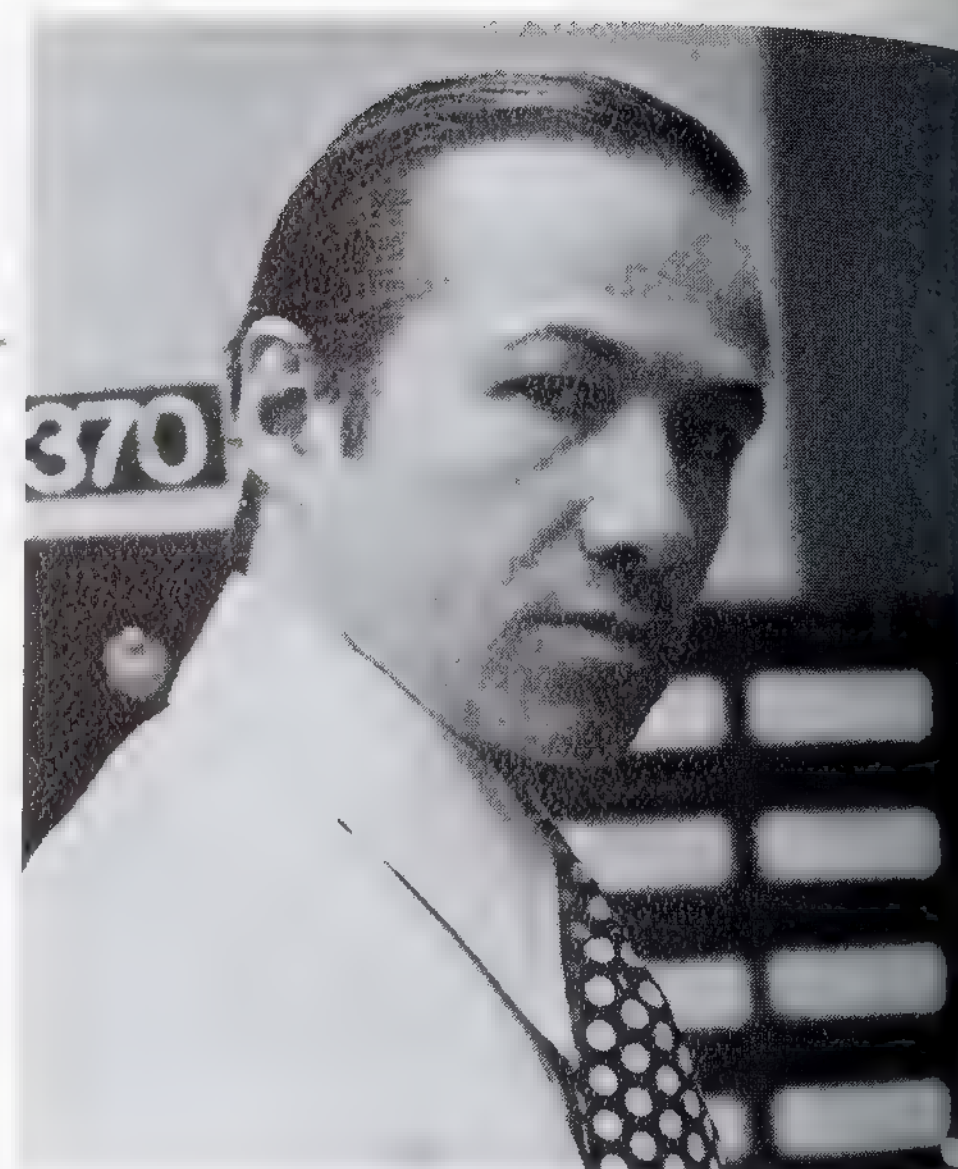
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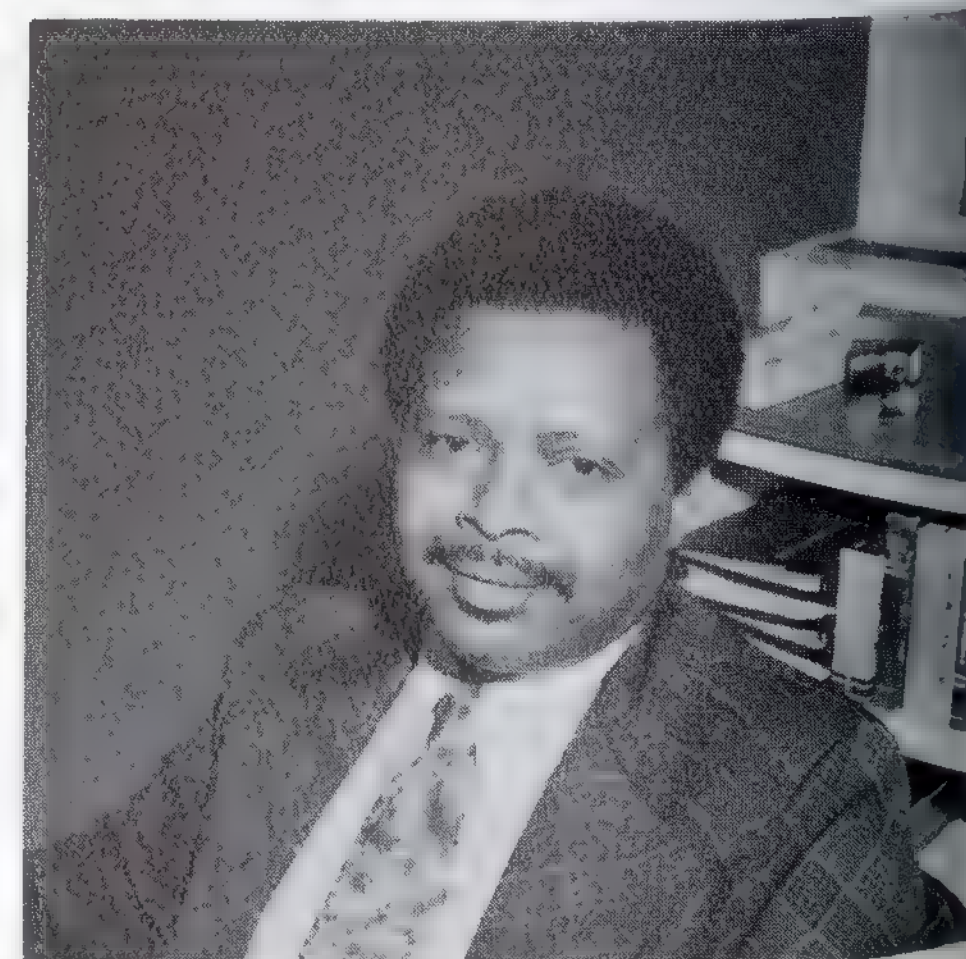
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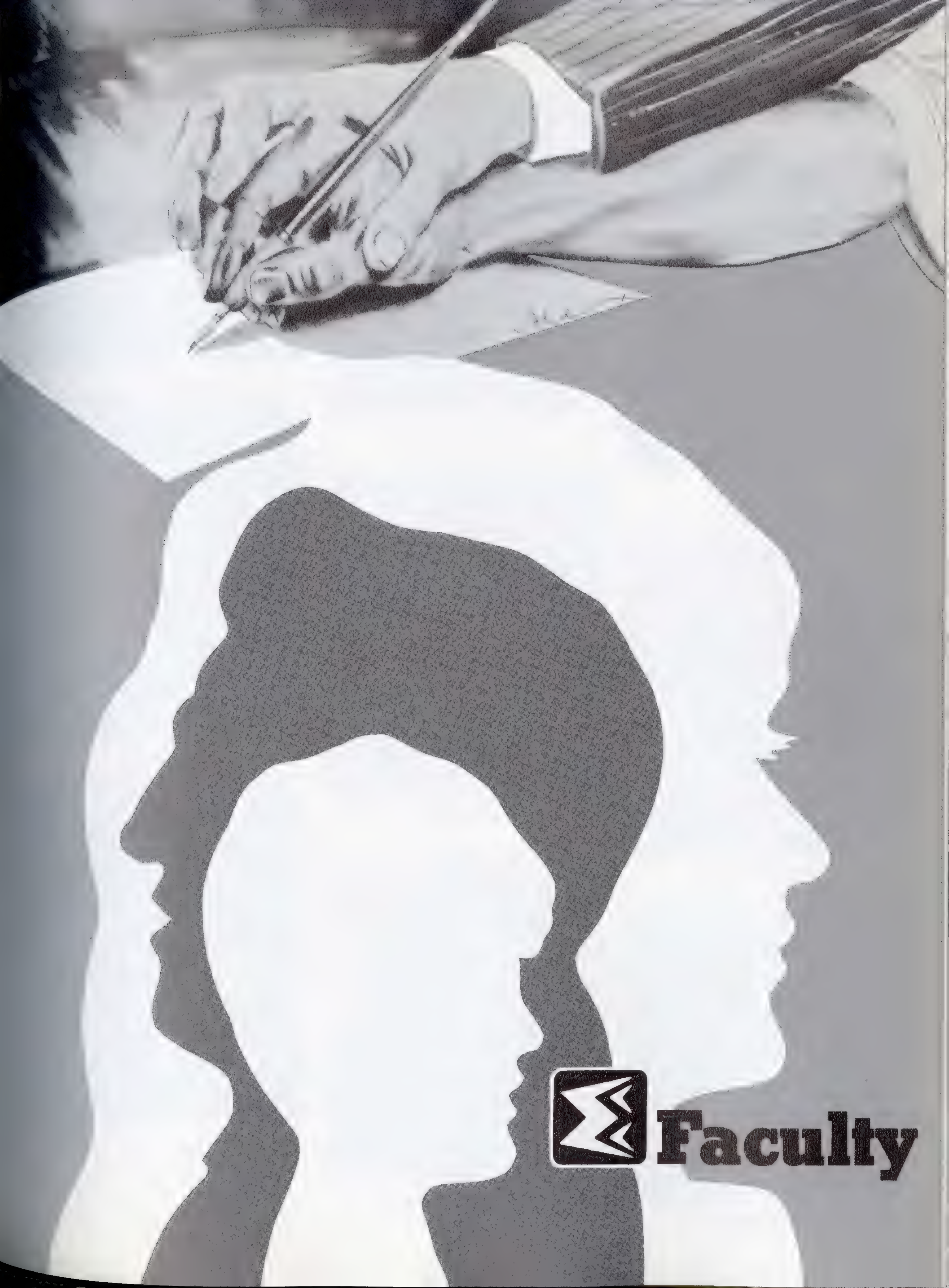
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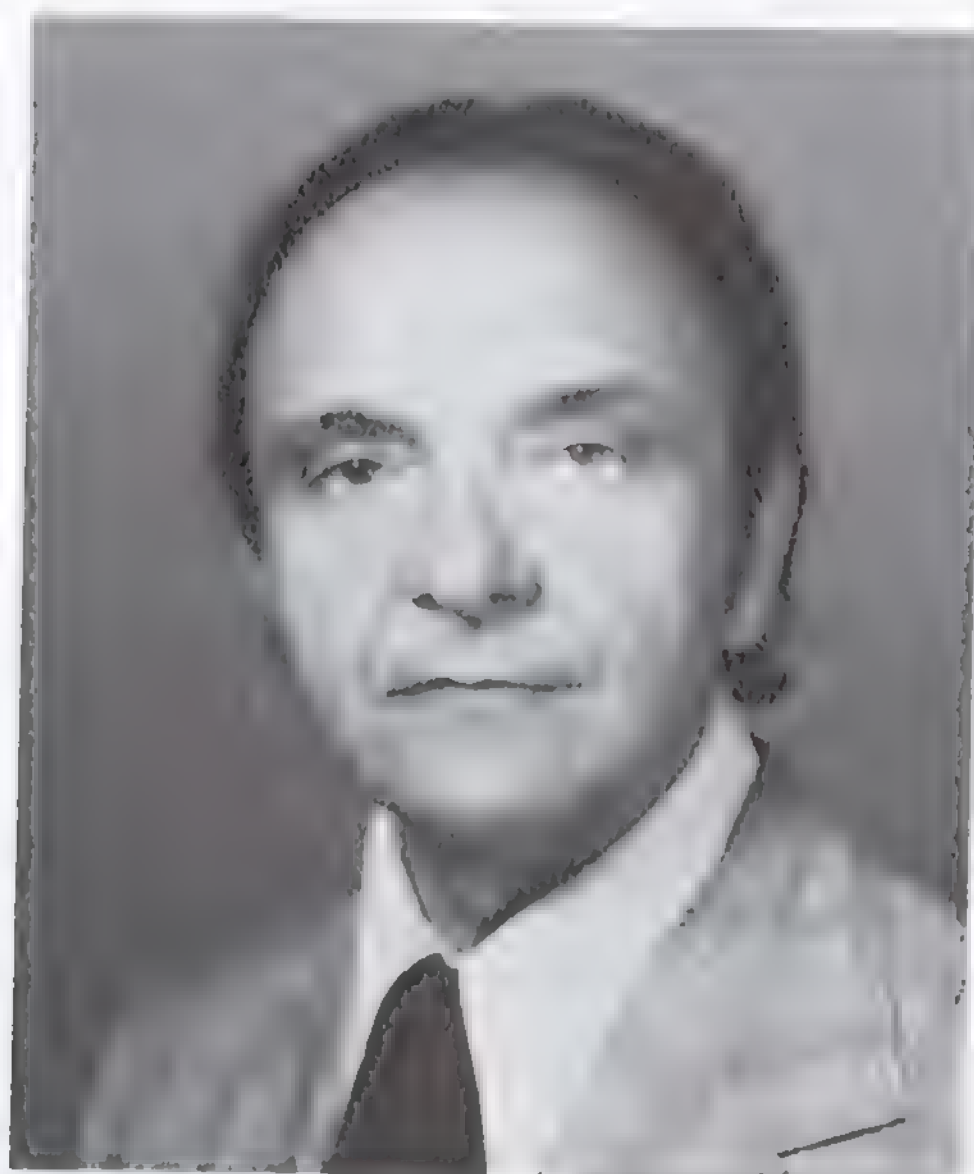
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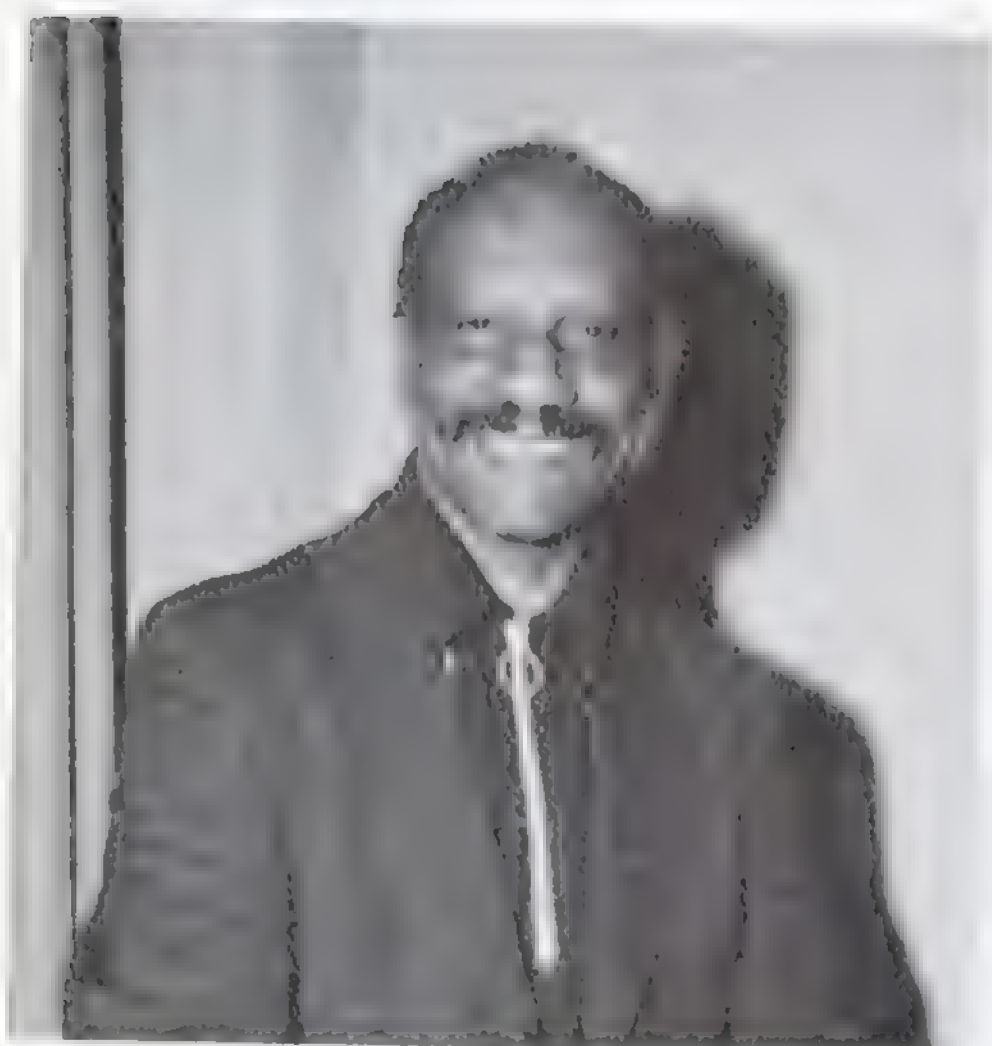
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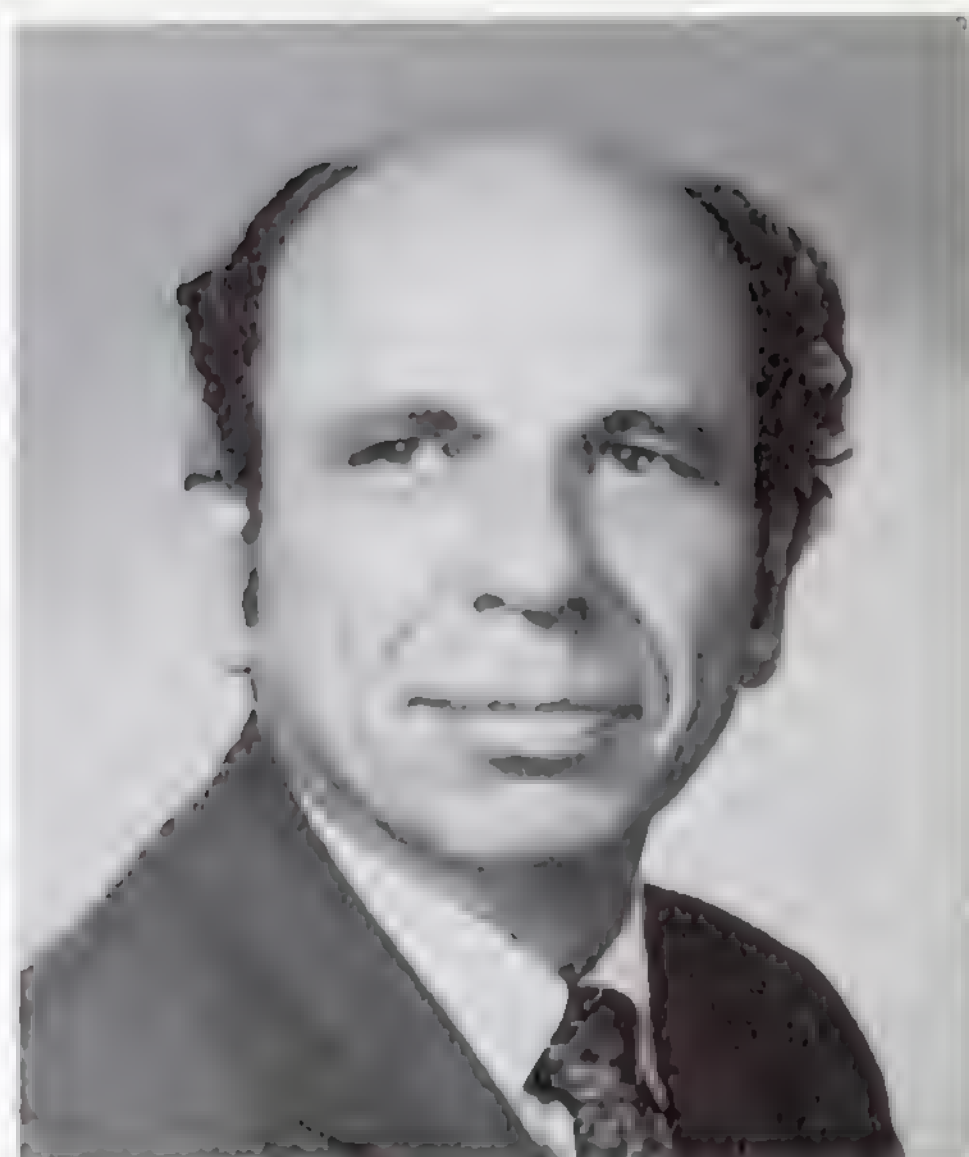
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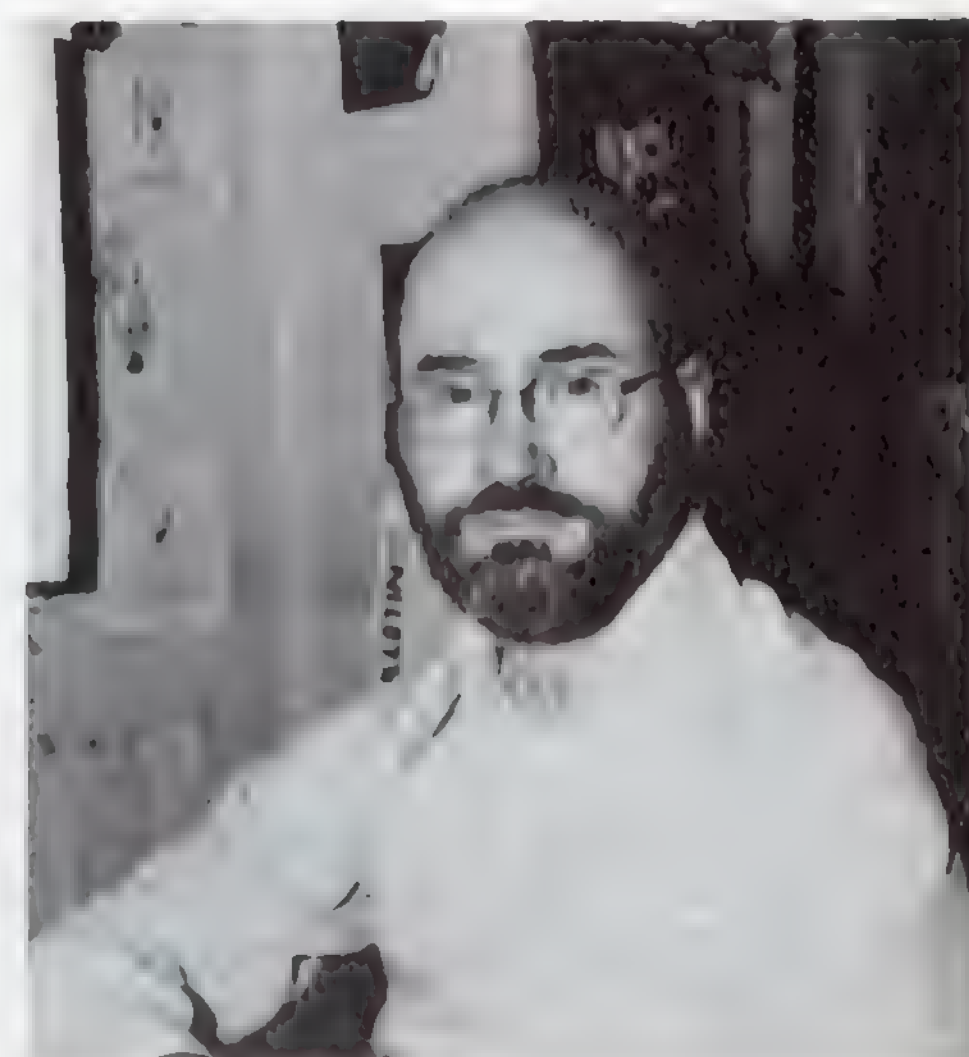
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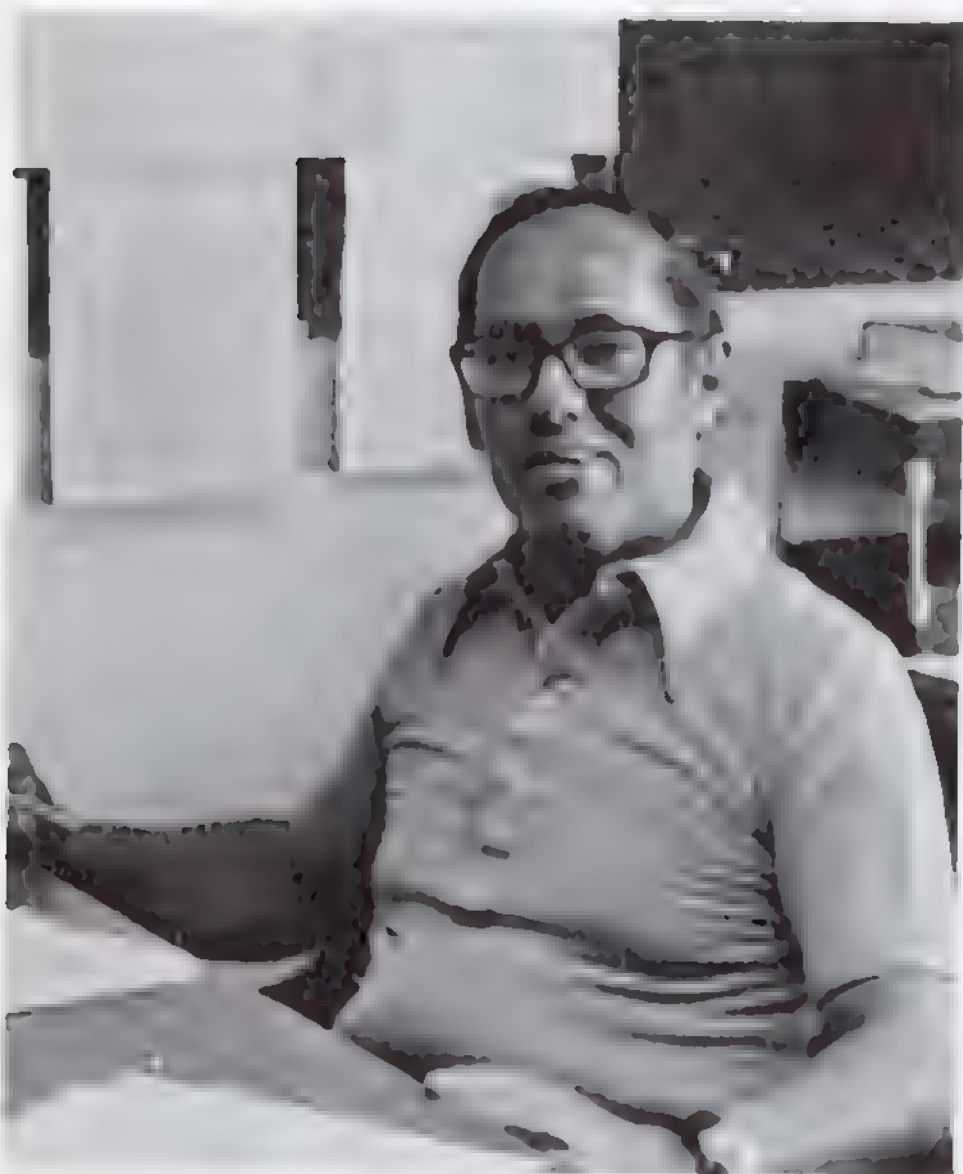
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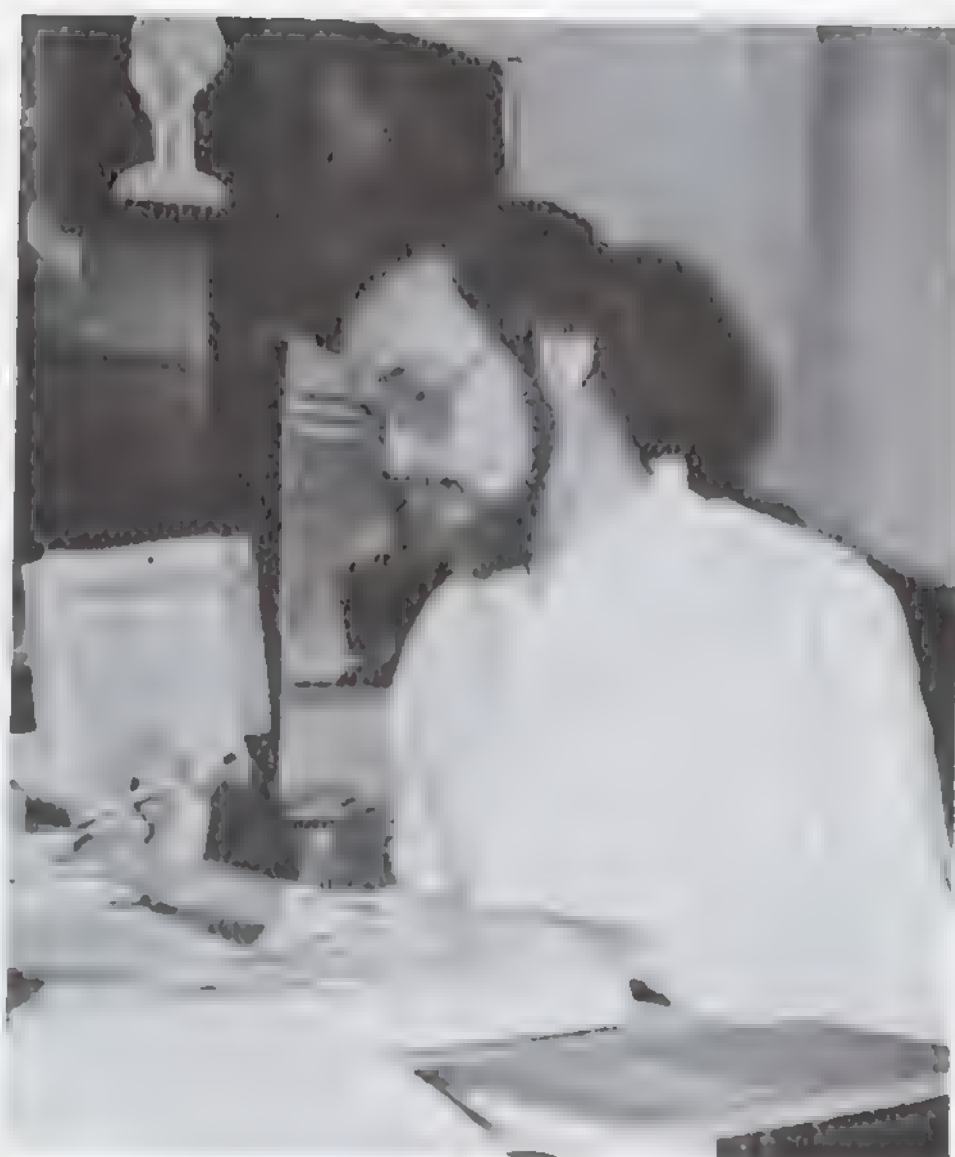
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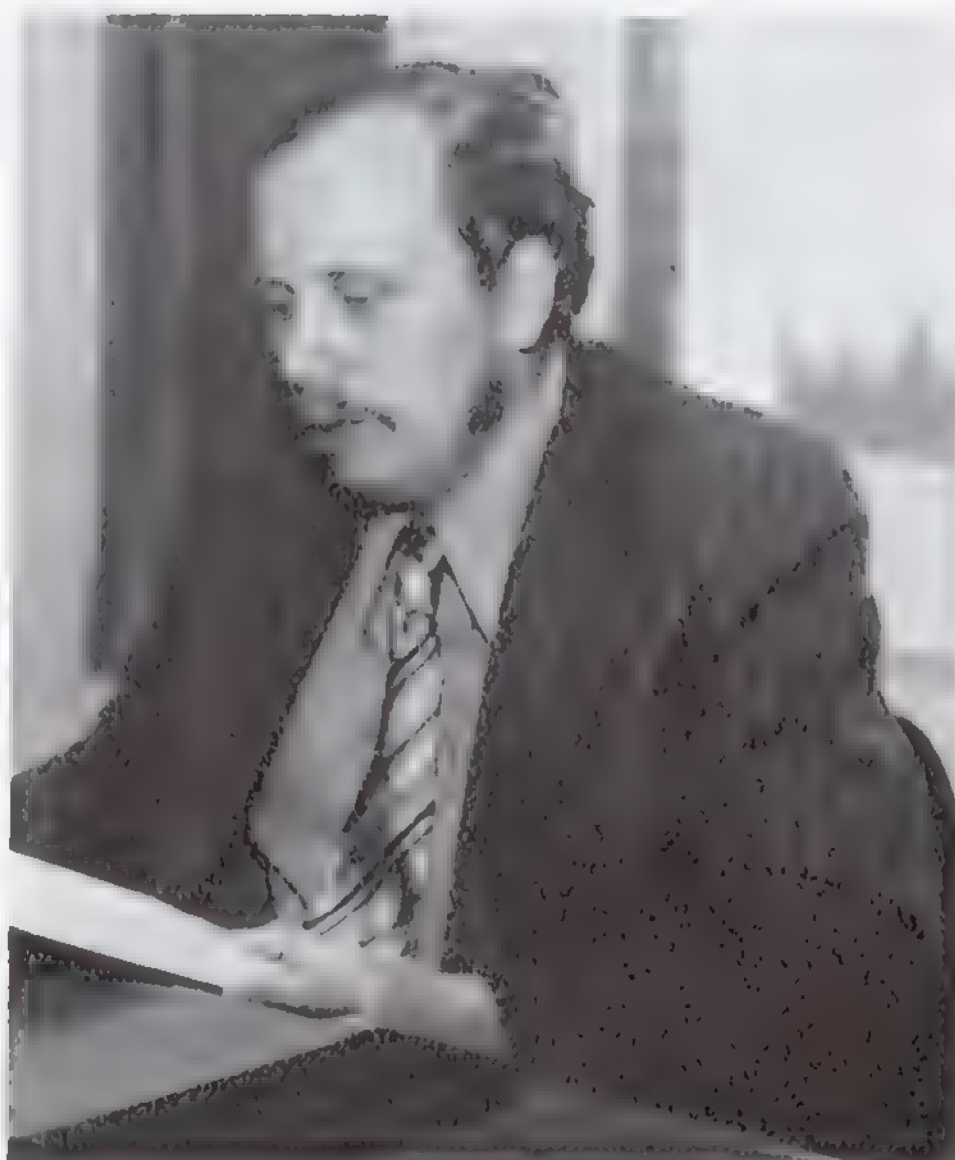
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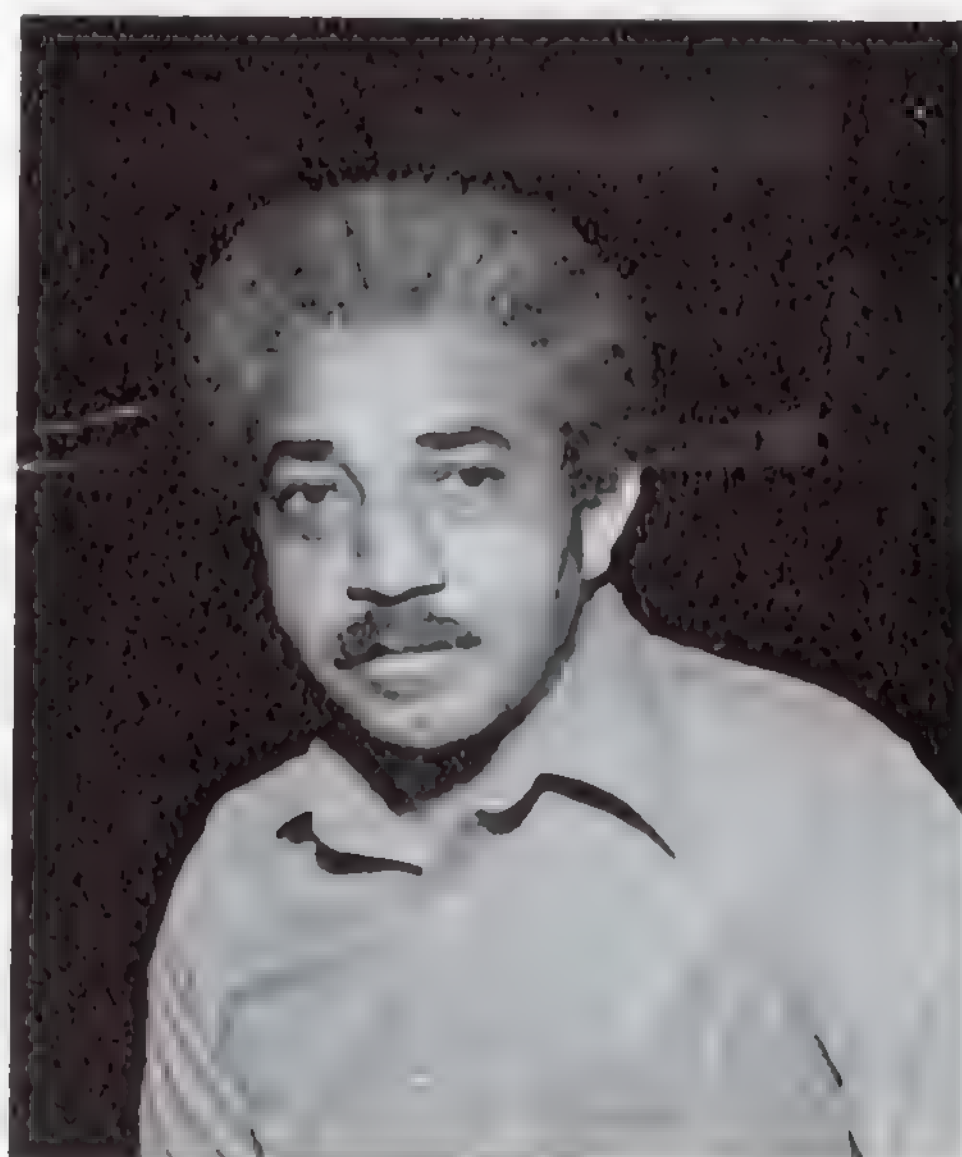
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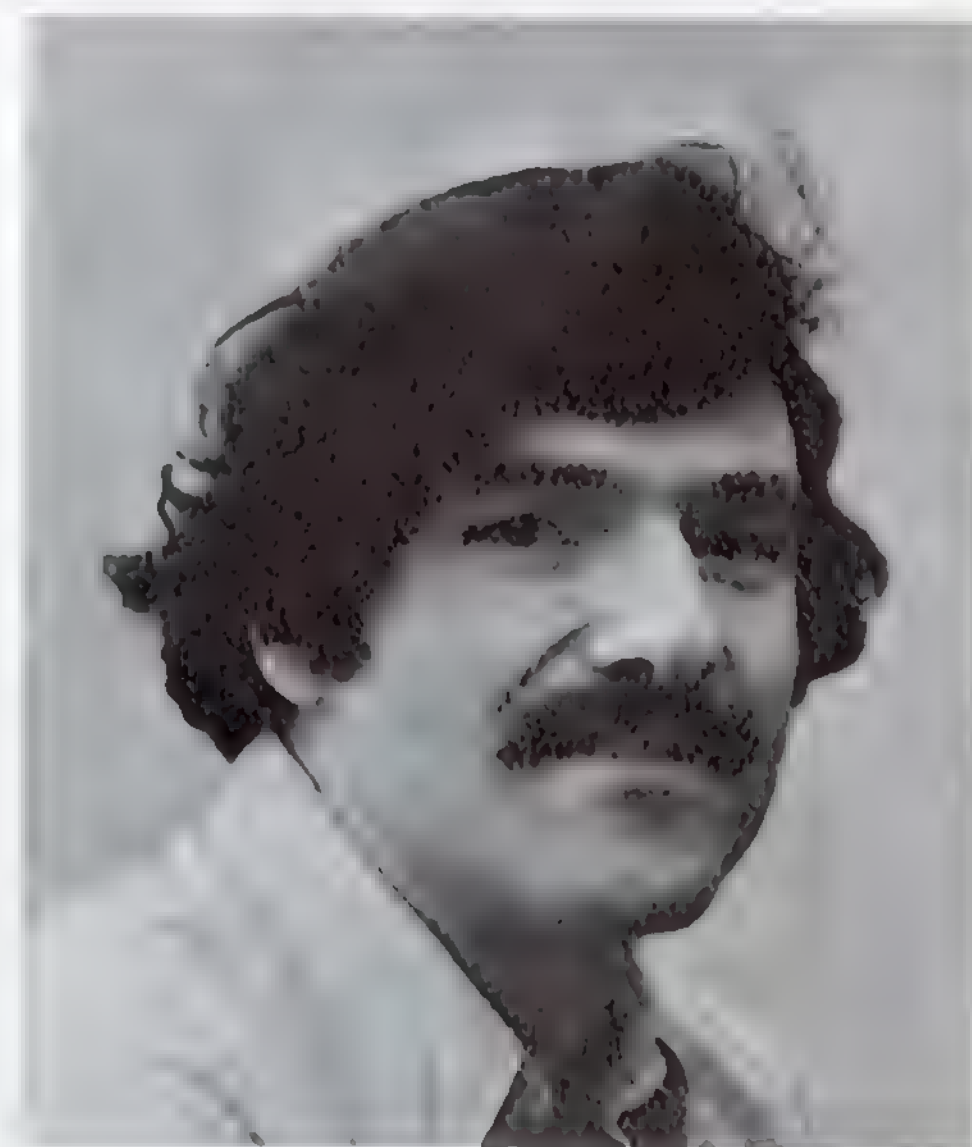
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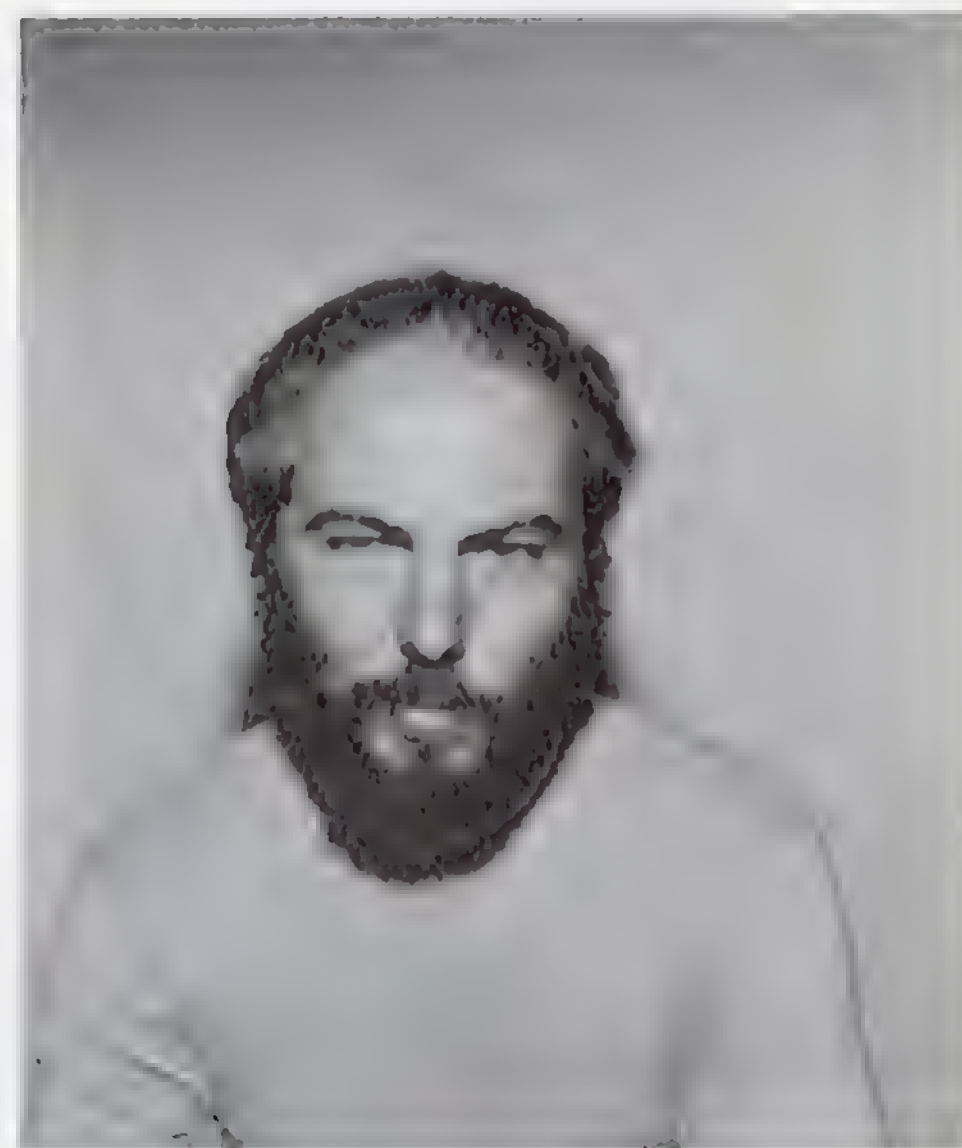
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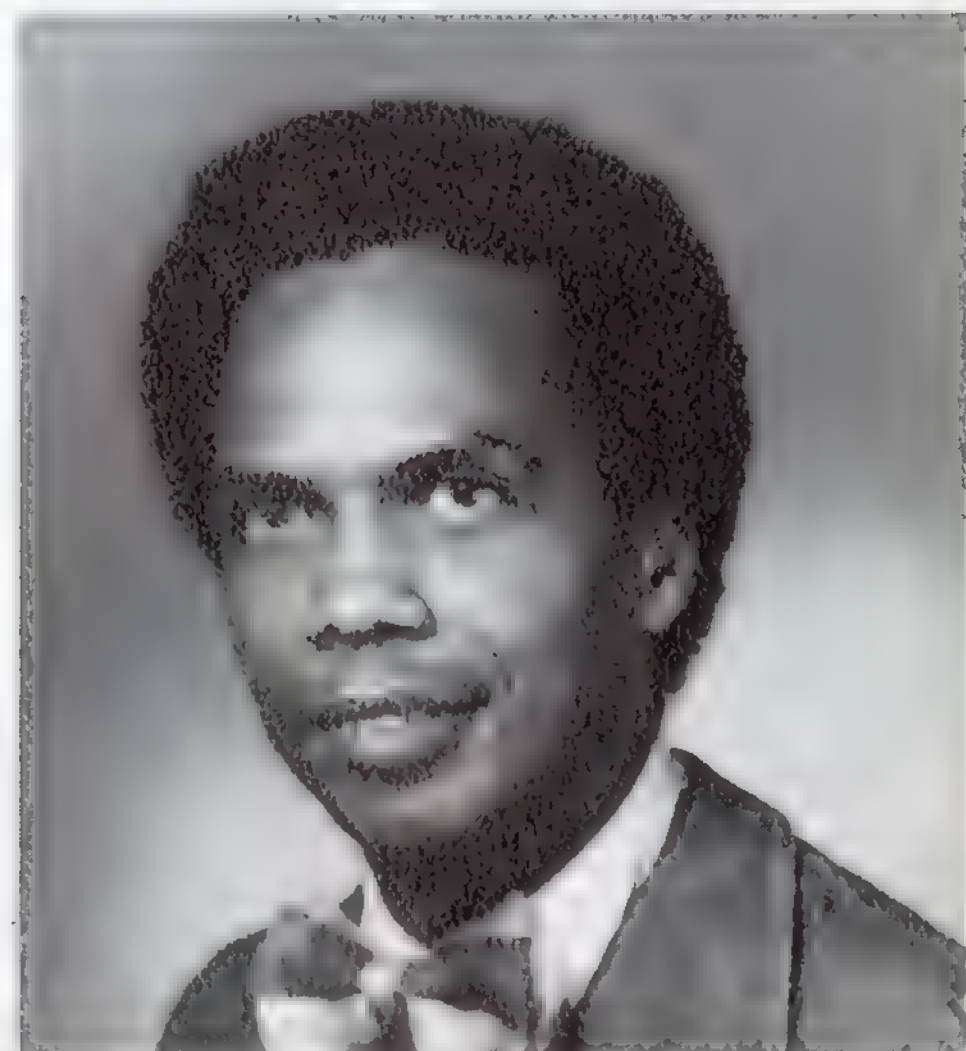
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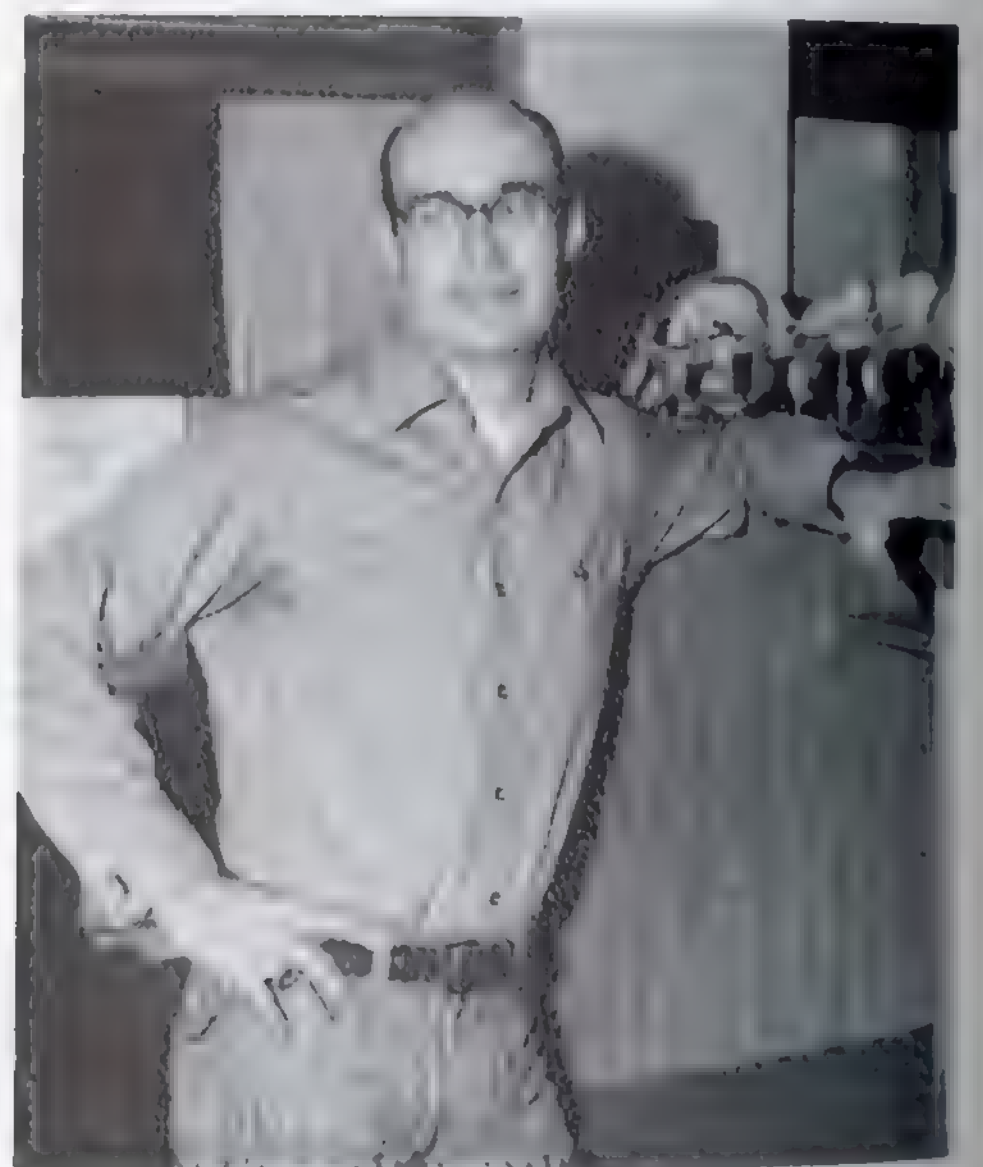
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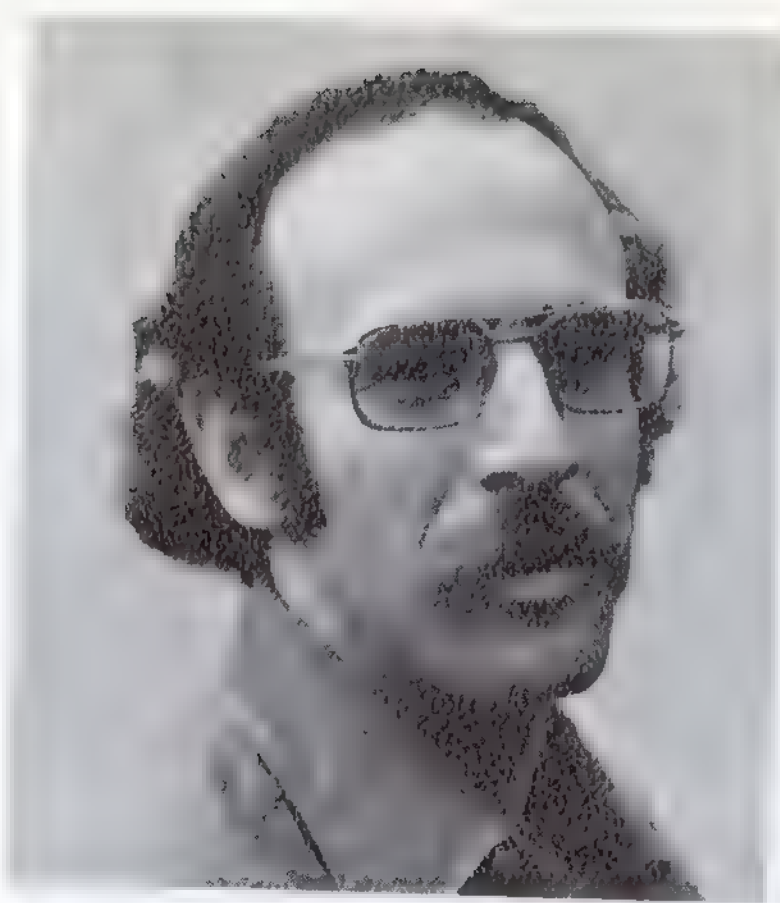
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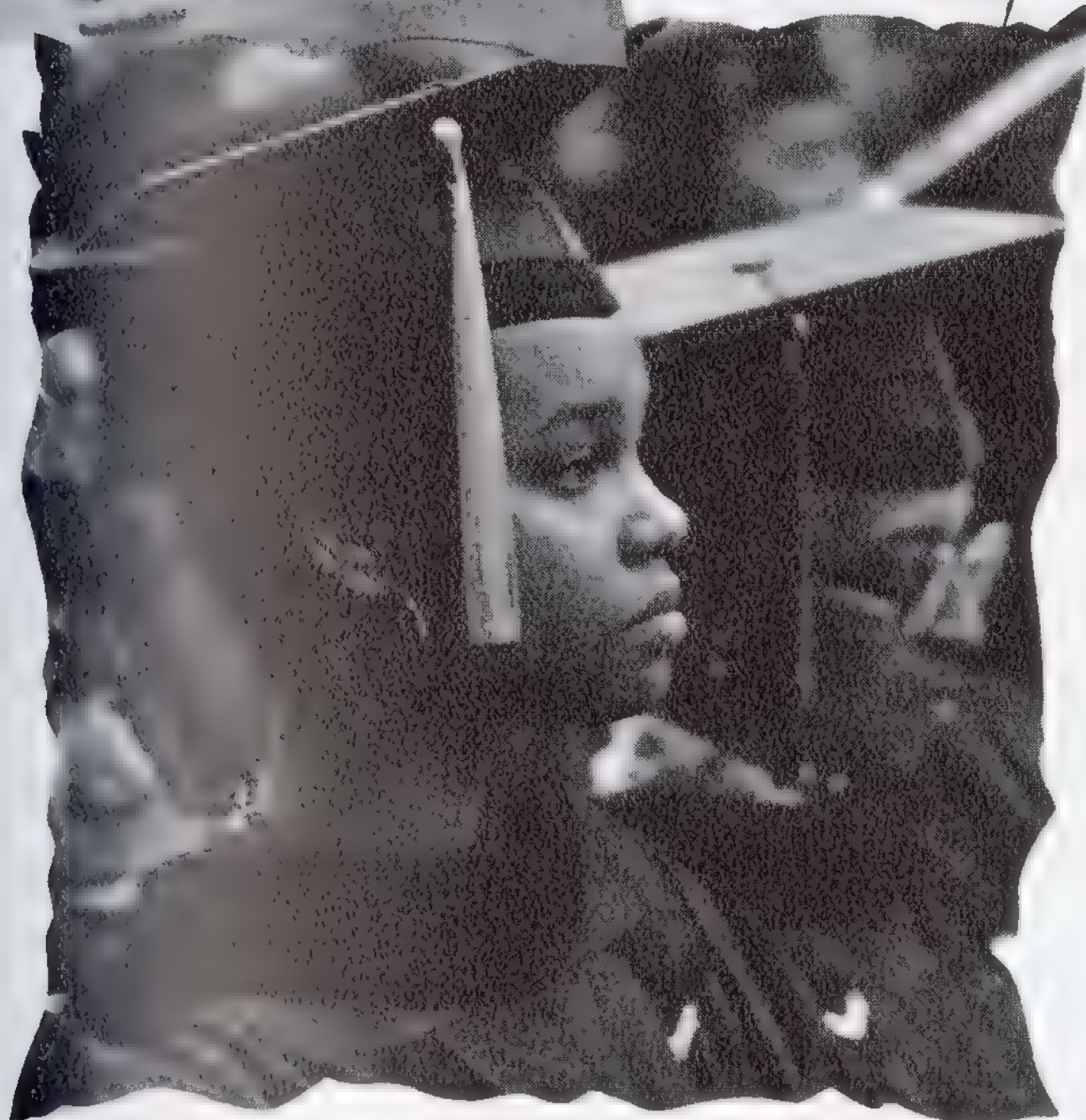
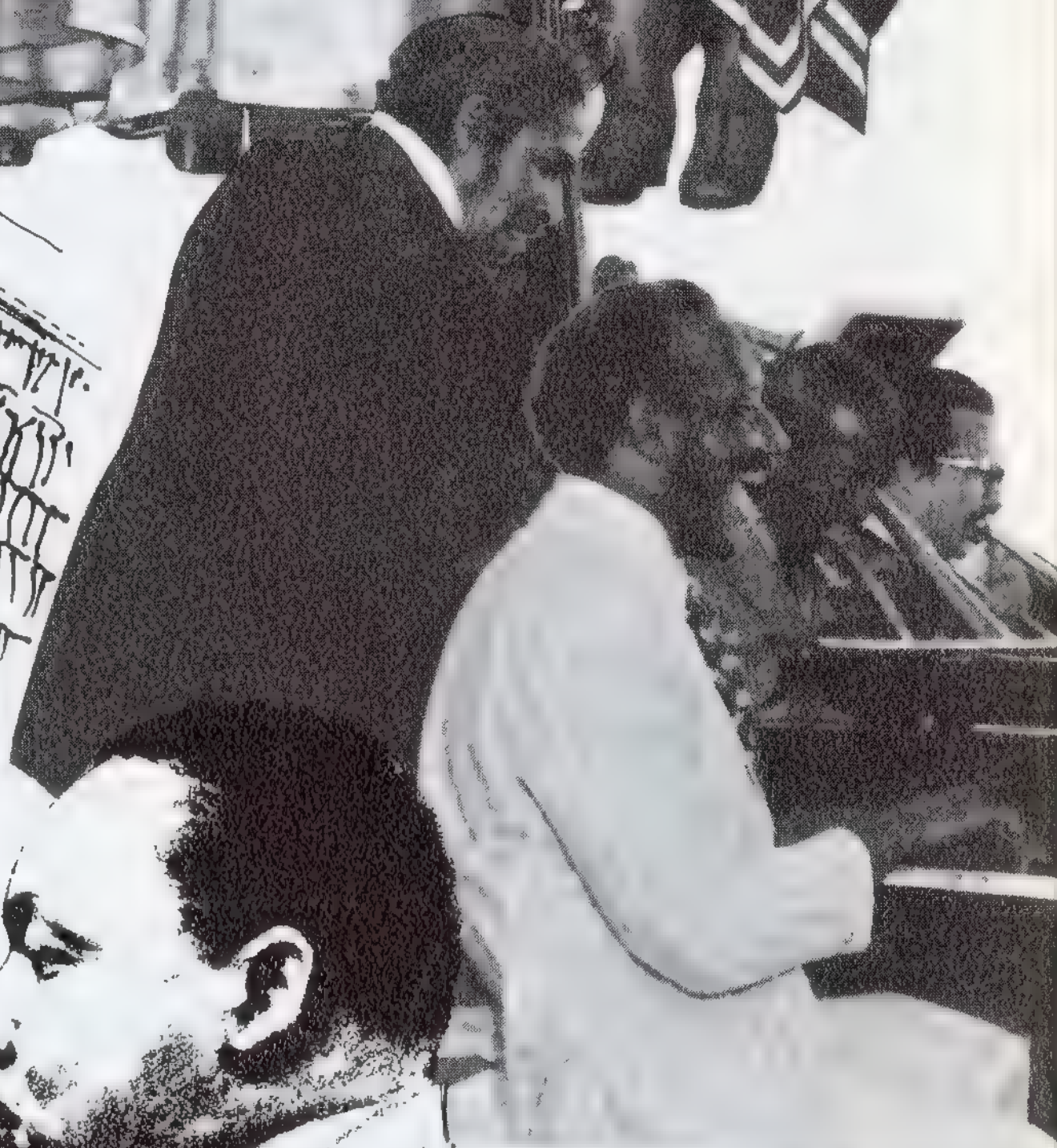


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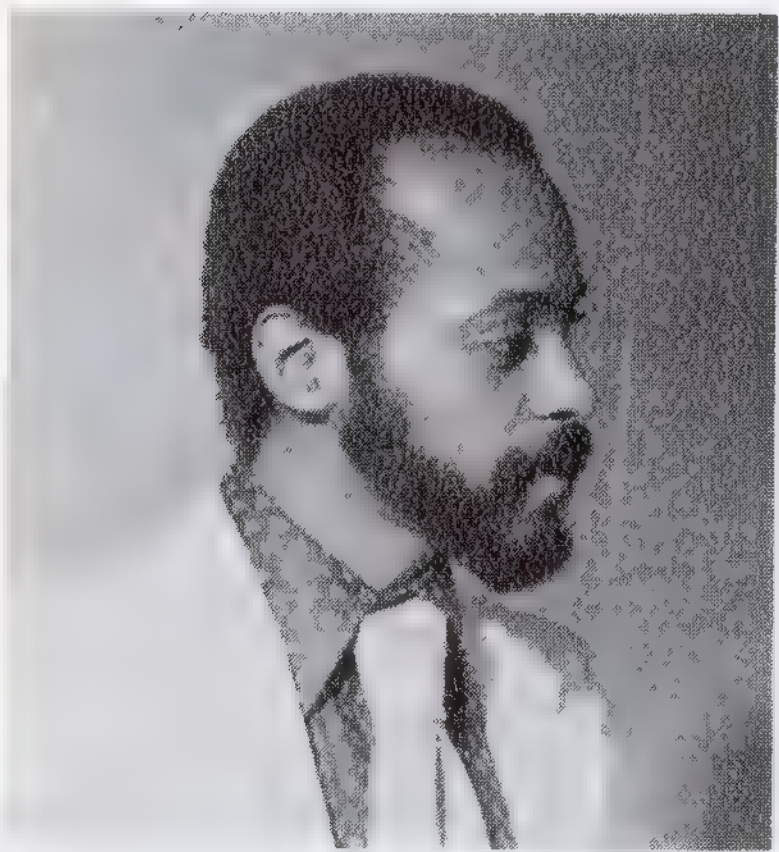


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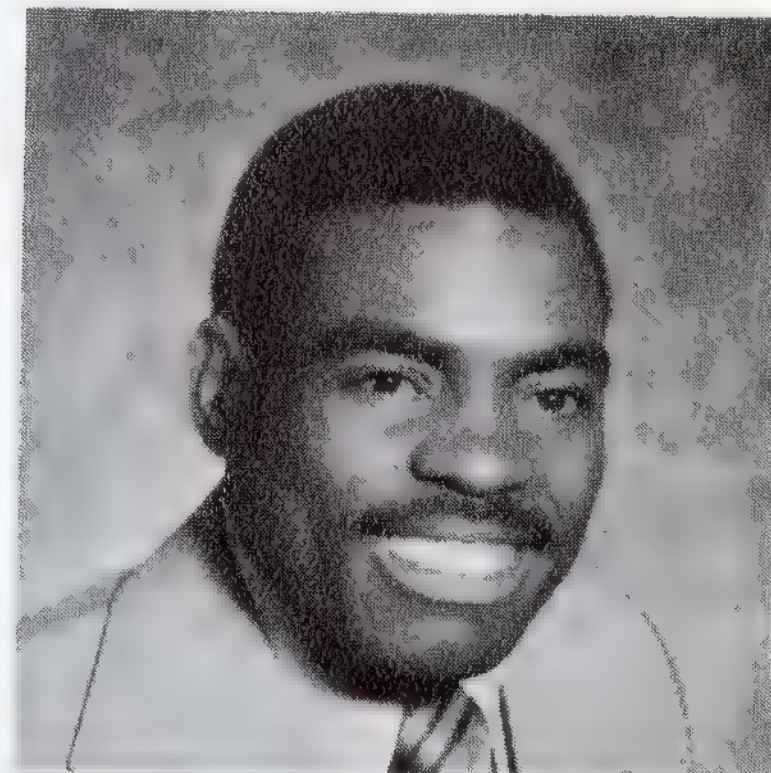
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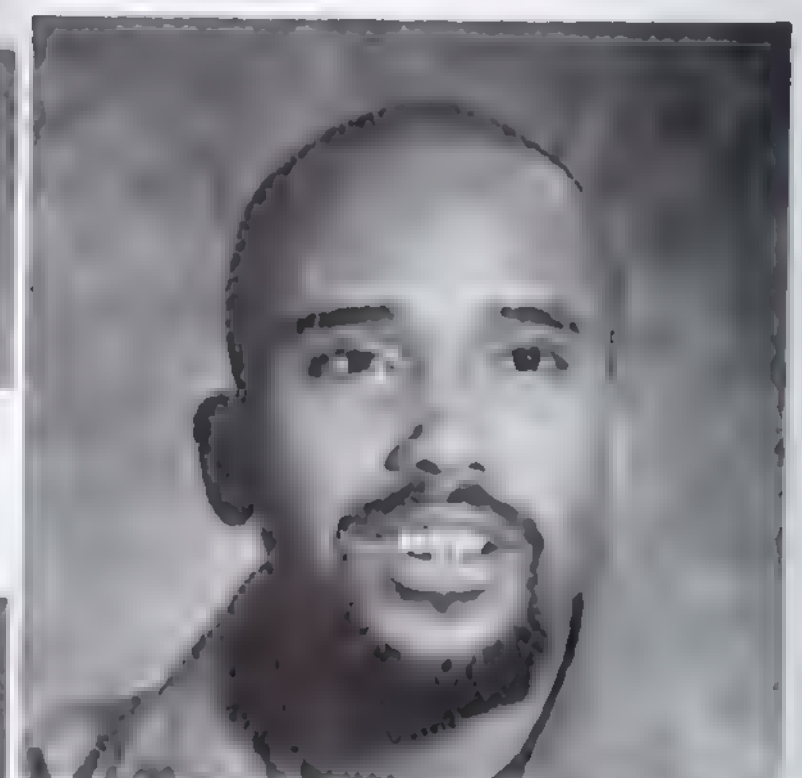
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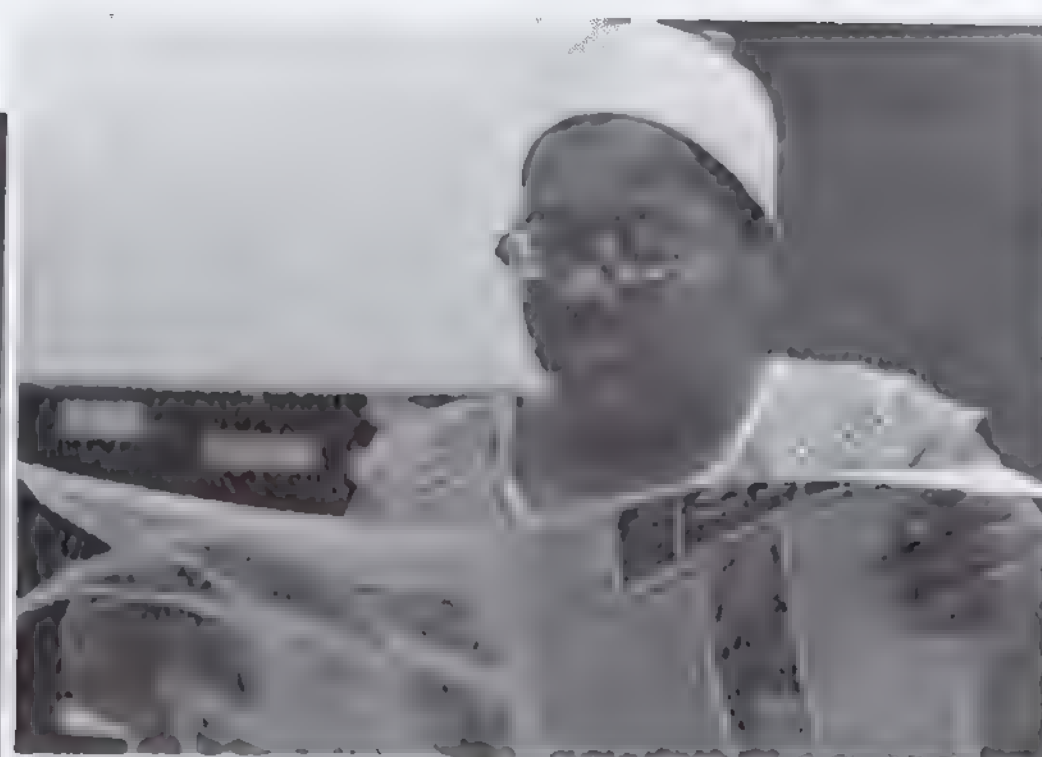
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Sopranos

Mildred Carr
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Edna Morgan
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Gloria Anderson
Peggie Blaine
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Callie Stancil
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1976-77 GOSPEL CHORUS



African Studies Association Testimonial Dinner for Alex Haley, author of "ROOTS" at Abyssinian Baptist Church in New York.



Instrumentalists

Wayne Bell Organ
 Ester Dawkins Piano
 Lloyd Parchment Bass Guitar
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 Yeawle Harmon Conga Drum

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MISS ECC BALL 1975-76



"PURE ENERGY"



THE JUDGES



FINALISTS PERFORMING THEIR TALENT



GUESTS

MARSHIA WILSON



Miss ECC 1974-75



M.C. — Bill Franklin



1st Runner Up — Willa Jackson



2nd Runner Up — Mazie Brown



3rd Runner Up — Beverly Hanks



MISS ECC 1975-76 Susan Treadwell



THE New Queen having her first dance with Dr. Smith.

STUDENTS AWARDS DINNER



1976 Basketball Team



1976 Baseball Team



1976 Track Team



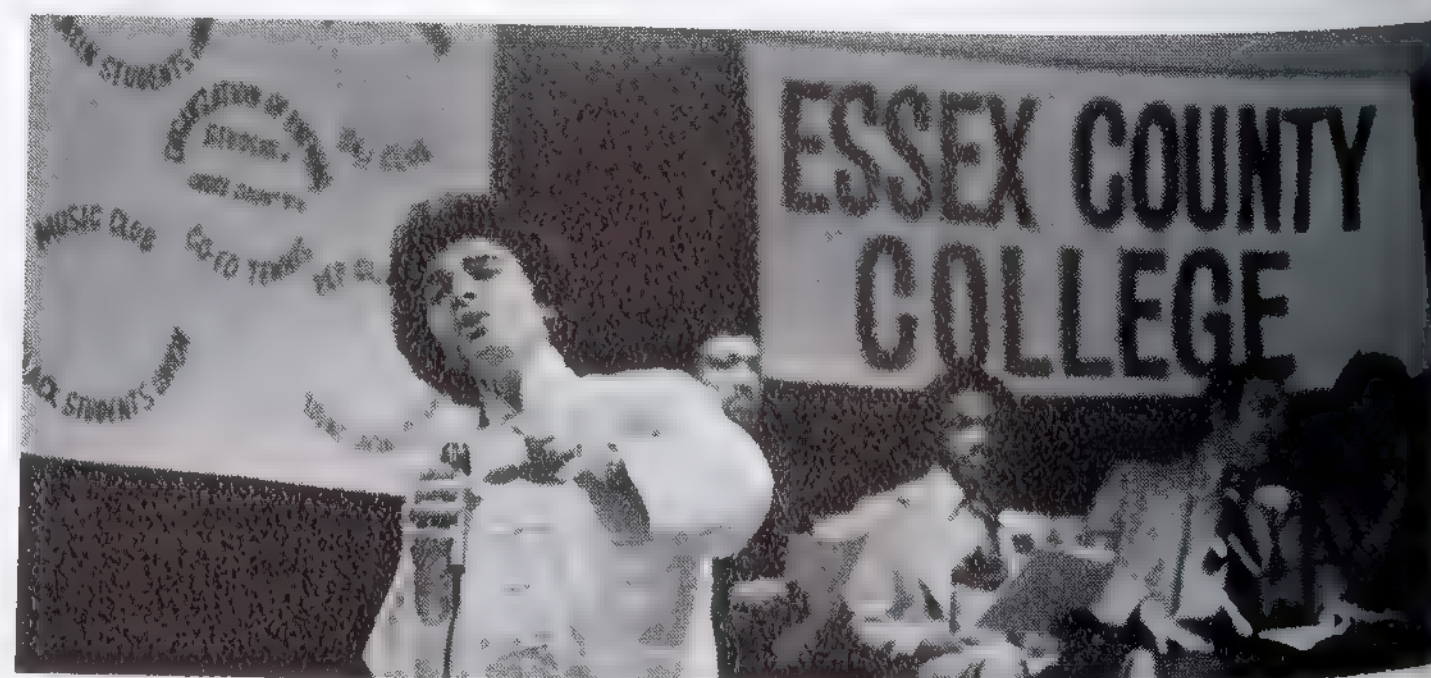
Most Valuable Player, COLIN BRADFORD



Coach of the Year, RUSS RODGERS



Director of Athletics, CLEO HILL



Vocal Ensemble by LOUIS HARRIS



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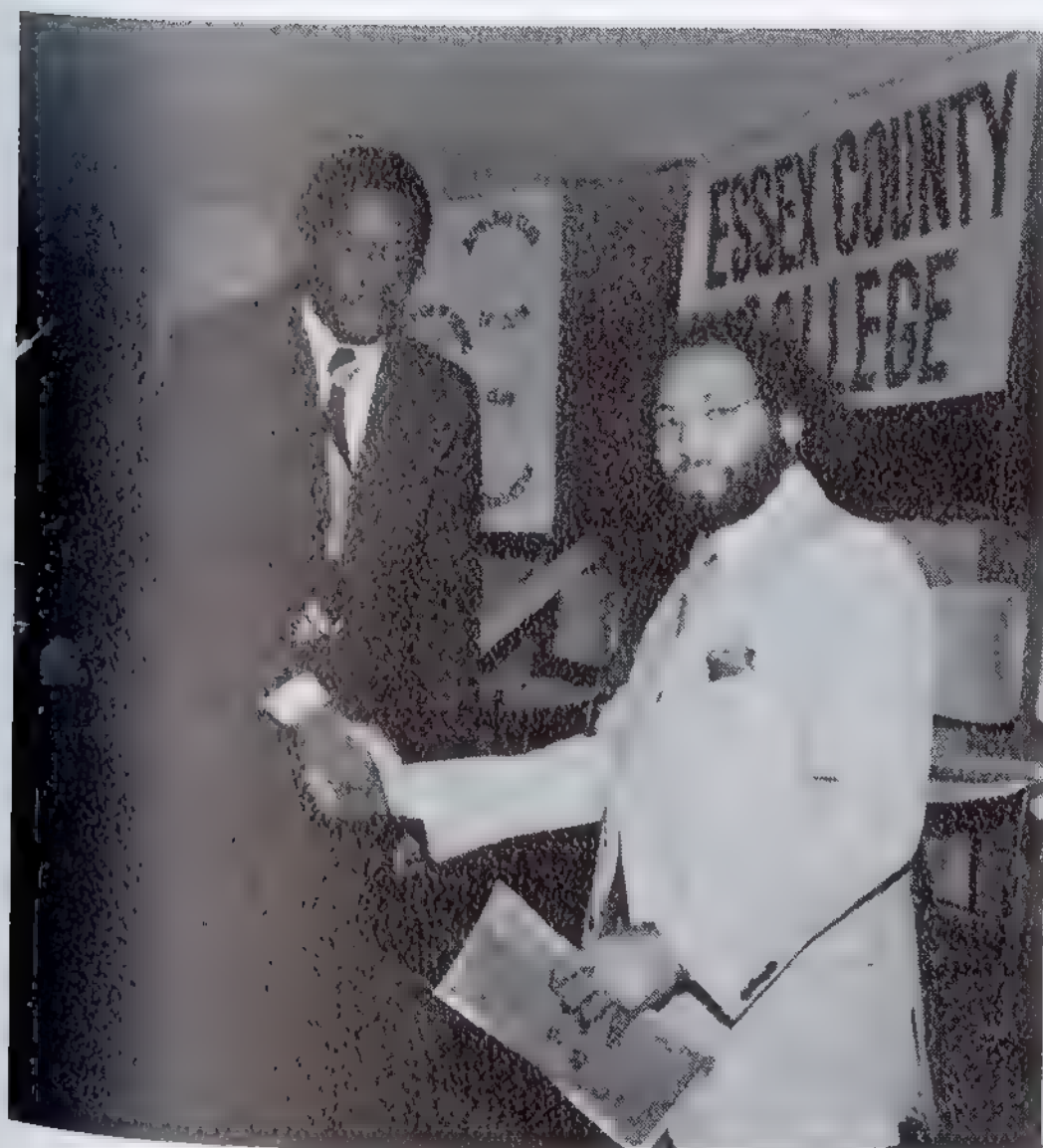
ECCO Staff members JoAnn Jordan and Halim Suliman receive outstanding service awards from Willie G. Moore, Director of Student Activities.



Donald Tonic, making presentations.



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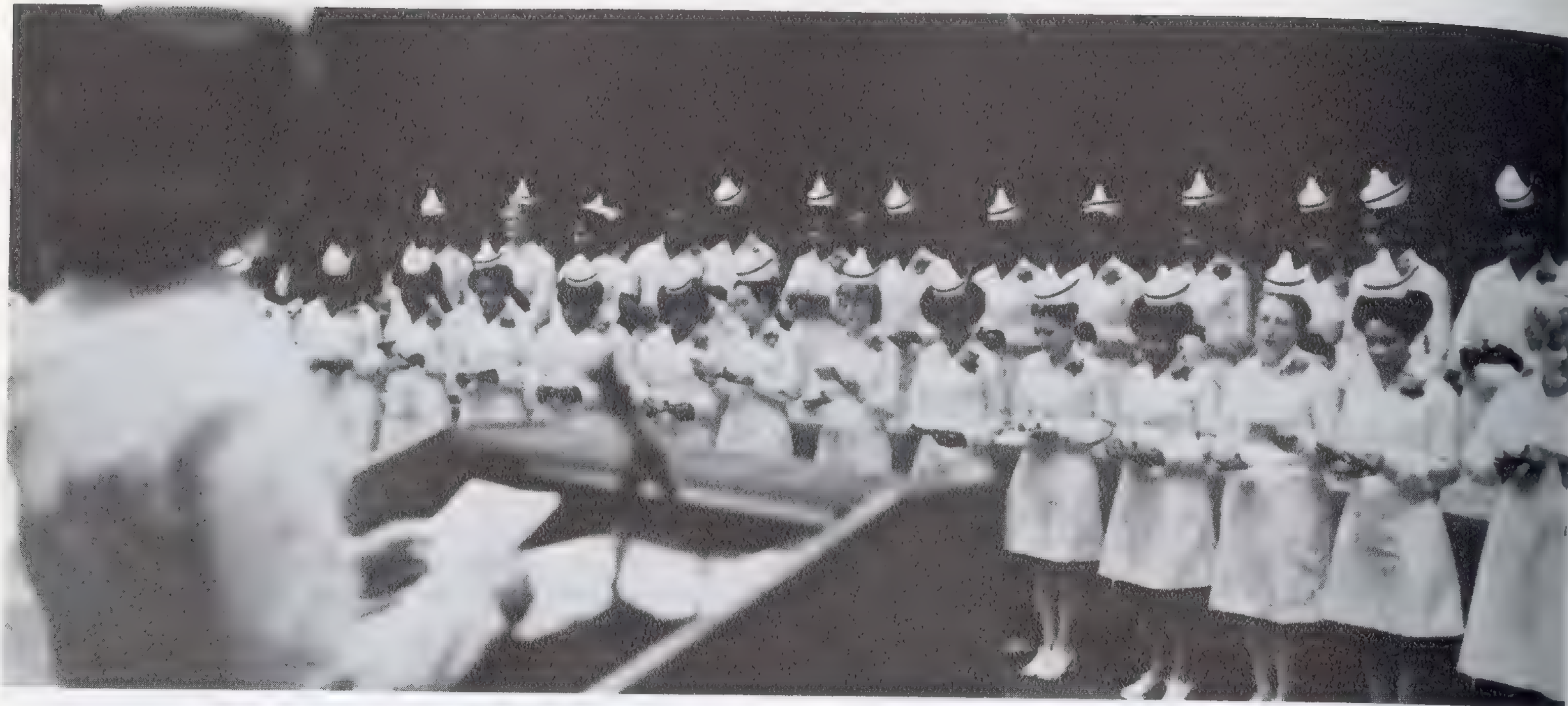


Baseball Coach Al Hawkins and Athletic Secretary Theresa Banks receive awards.



MVP FOR CROSS COUNTRY, Geraldo Gonzalves

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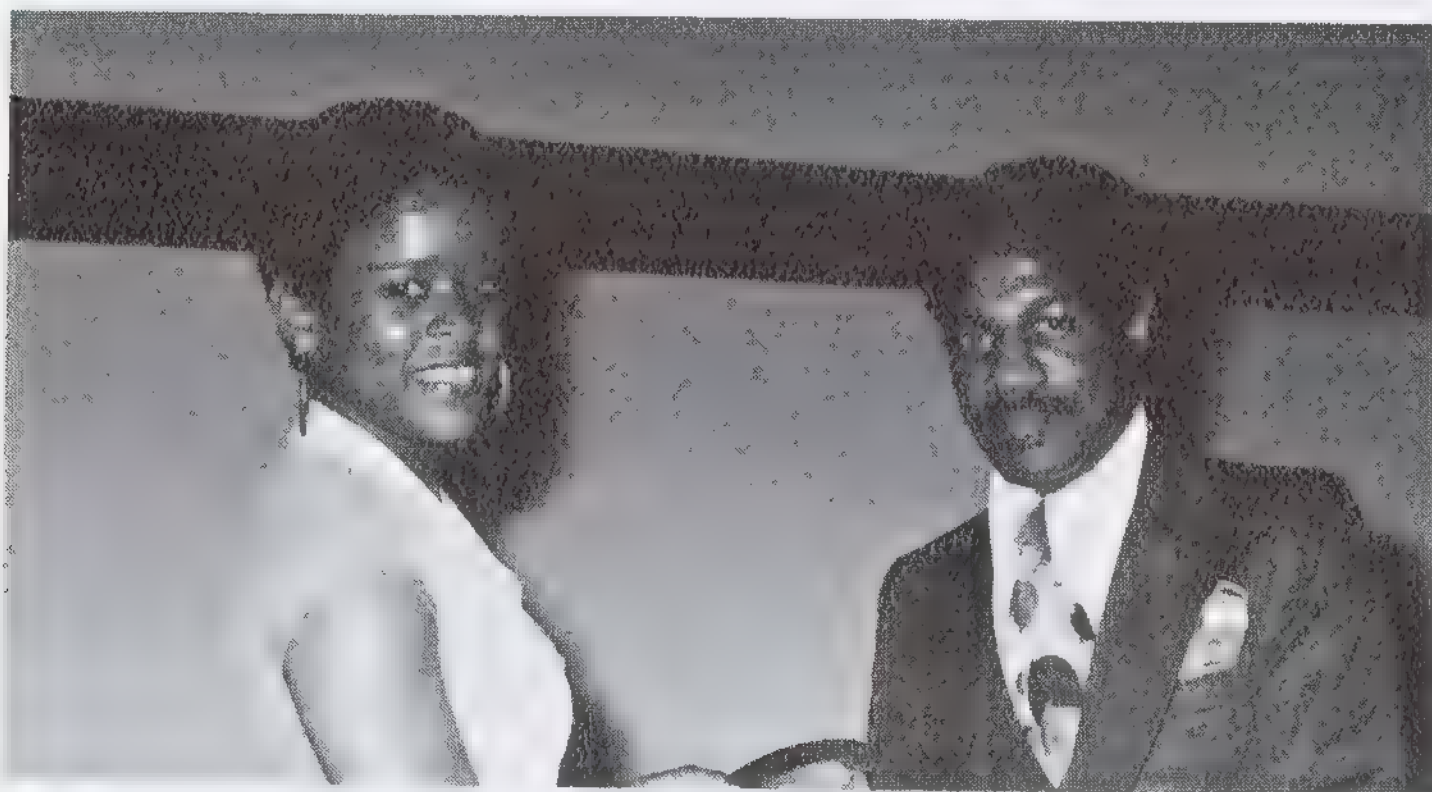
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CAROL McGUINESS
President's Citation Award



MARION JACKSON
Zemoria Williams Scholarship



JO ANN BUTLER
Student Activities Award



GERALDO GONZALVES
Athletic Department Award



IVAN CONERLY
Soloist and Winner
of the Music Club Scholarship



JOSANDRA FLINT
and the ECC Gospel Chorus



MATTIE POWELL
Student Activities Award

FOR GRADUATES



HELEN SIMMONS
The Leaguers Inc., Mary Burch Award



YVONNE RANDOLPH
Student Activities Award

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	Laure Mann
	Mattie Powell
	Yvonne Randolph
	Helen Simmons
	James Stephens
	J. Arthur Worth
Athletic Department Award	Geraldo Gonzalves
Human Relations Award	JoAnn Butler
Music Club Scholarship	Ivan Conerly
Information Processing Department Award	Eileen Swierat
Languages & Literature Dept. Award	Rosemarie Lemos
Learning Resources Center Scholarship	Arthur Davis III
Mathematics Dept. Award	Eddy Germain
Nursing Faculty Award	Doris Joyner & Delores Lucas
Secretarial Studies & Bus. Ed. Award	Martha Brown
Frank Cobb Family Award	Geraldo Gonzalves
Harry Nowick Family Scholarship	Francis Spears
Zemoria Williams Scholarship	Marion Jackson
Simeon Moss Scholarship	Vincent Bonilla
Leaguers Inc., Mary Burch Award	Helen Simmons
Administrative Association Scholarship	Tamam Moncur
Alumni Association Scholarship	Shirley Daughtery & Carol McGuinnes
Board of Trustees Award	Marion Jackson
Vice Pres. for Student Affairs Award	Philip Hale
President's Citation	Carol McGuinnes
Rossi Family Scholarship	Howard LaJoel
Vice Pres. for Academic Affairs Scholar	Laure Mann
Who's Who Among Students In American Junior Colleges	Ruth Reeves
	Jeannine Arrigo
	Bertha Hazelton
	Helen Simmons
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1977 AWARDS CEREMONY FOR GRADUATES



Music Club Scholarship Awarded to Elsie Wilson



SECRETARIAL SCIENCE, Student of the Month, & Who's Who Award presented to Daniel DiCristo



Talent Roster, Who's Who and Student of the Month presented to Margot Clanton



Rossie Family Scholarship awarded to Nanci Conlin



SGA Award presented to Donald Tonic



Engineering Technologies & Physical Sciences Dept. Award presented to Gregory Szary



Simeon Moss Scholarship presented to Kai Foday



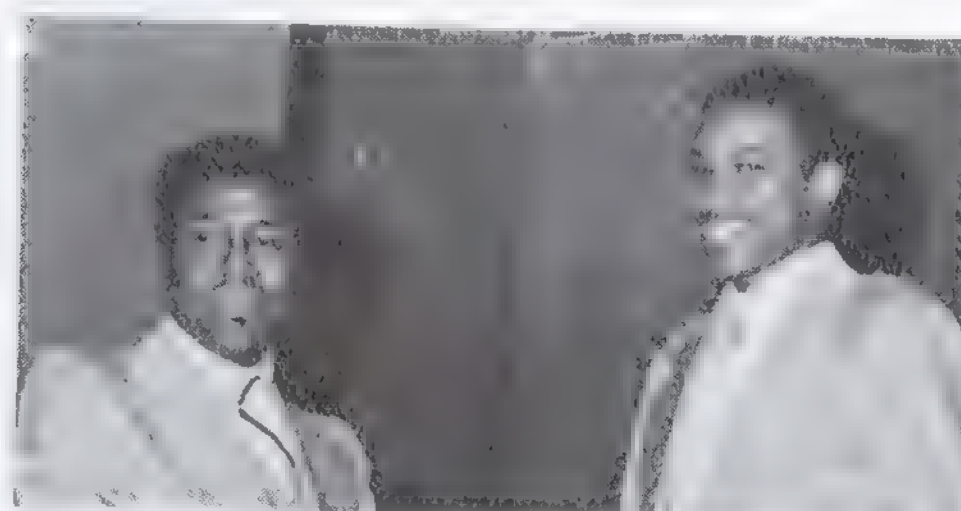
Languages, Communications & Literature Award presented to Sonja Walton



ECCO STAFF Award presented to Halim Suliman



Who's Who, Administrative Services Scholarship Award awarded to Willa Jackson



Most Valuable Basketball Player Award presented to Eric Fuller



Who's Who Award presented to Mary Rich

1977 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

Biological Science Award Haile Gebrestlashaile

Engineering Technologies & Physical Sciences
Department Award in Memory of Walter Dittle . . . Gregory Szary

Health Services & Paramedical Technologies Dept. . . Brian White
Tony Gagliano Clara Johnson

Information Processing Department Award Michael Vargas

Language, Communication & Literature Dept. Award . Sonja Walton
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Nursing Department Award Mazie Brown
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Education Department Award Daniel DiCristo

Bilingual Studies Award Rosa Gonzalez
Isabel Pascual

Cooperative Education Award Vincent Scialla

Criminal Justice Program Award Charles Conti
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Vice President for Academic Affairs Award Juana Sevilla

Music Club Scholarship Elsie Wilson

Zeta Alpha Iota Chapter, Phi Beta Lambda
Scholarship Vivian Stewart

ECCO Staff Award Halim Suliman

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Harry Nowick Family Scholarship James Perkins

Donald Payne Scholarship James Perkins

Rossi Family Scholarship (In Memory of
Albert Rossi) Nanci Conlin

Talent Roster DeWanna Glenn	Margot Clanton
Dennis Barnes	Agnes Buchanan
L.W. Head	Donald Tonic
Rodney Barnes	Charlene Robinson
Rodger L. Rozier	Ethel Rainey

Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges Betty Randall		
Stephen Ajide	Willa Jackson	Mary Rich
Margot Clanton	Larry Kindred	Claudette Sloan
Daniel DiCristo	Kelvin Lewis	William Schaefer
Virginia Dowling	Bruce Marshall	Francine Thornton
Kai Foday	Margie Nickson	Vincent West
Annette Hargrove	Clifton People	Susie Williams
Barbara Hughes	Rita Pettiford	Uku Udosen

Building & Grounds Scholarship Fund
(In Memory of Thomas Knox) Anna Violante

Human Relations Award Reginald Evelyn

International Student Scholarship Award Virginia Dowling
Okefe Ifeany

Administrative Association Award Willa Jackson

Administrative Services Scholarship Award Willa Jackson

Vice President for Student Affairs Award Francine Thornton

Alumni Association Scholarship Willa Jackson

Board of Trustees Scholarship Rose Dalton

Presidential Citation Reginald Evelyn

Frank Cobb Athletic Scholarship Gregory Vattis

Most Valuable Basketball Player Award Eric Fuller

Most Valuable Cheerleader Award Jackie Daniels

Most Valuable Cross-Country Runner Award Gideon Terer

Most Valuable Indoor Track Runner Award Joseph Coombs

Most Valuable Outdoor Track Runner Award Joseph Coombs

Most Valuable Soccer Player Award Steven Falano

Most Valuable Tennis Player Award Ida Powell

Most Valuable Women's Volleyball Player Award . . . Rosemary Teal

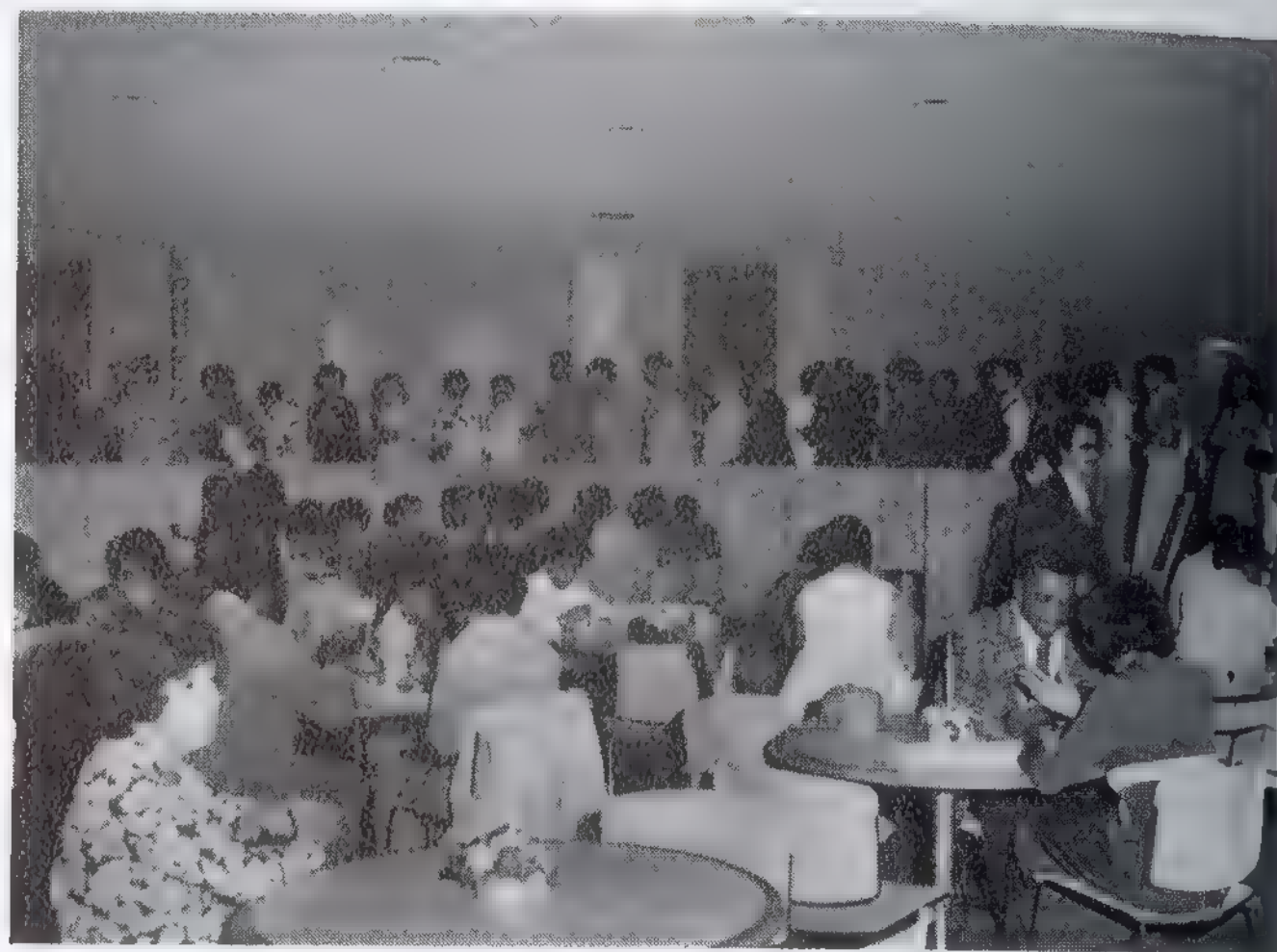
Most Valuable Wrestler Award Kenneth Jackson

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Eric Fuller

VICE



PRESIDENT'S



RECEPTION



FOR



GRADUATES



WE REHEARSED FOR



GRADUATION OUTSIDE. . .

BUT WE GRADUATED INSIDE. . .





NEIGHBORHOOD COLLEGE PROJECT BLACK HISTORY SALUTE



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GIL NOBLE





OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE STUDENT



GAME ROOM



AND LOUNGE



VICE-PRESIDENT'S FORUM

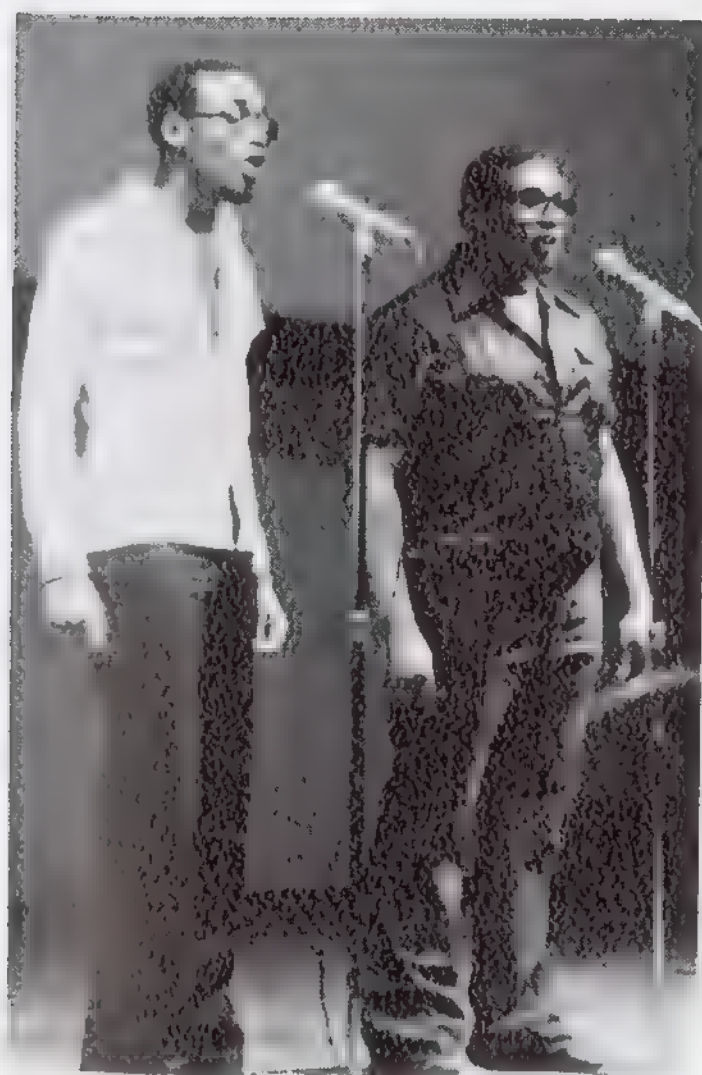


Held every month by the Vice President for Student Affairs, Edison O. Jackson, students were given the opportunity to voice their questions, concerns, problems or recommendations to the Vice President.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES



TALENT SHOW



THE FIRST ANNUAL BLACK

IN HONOR

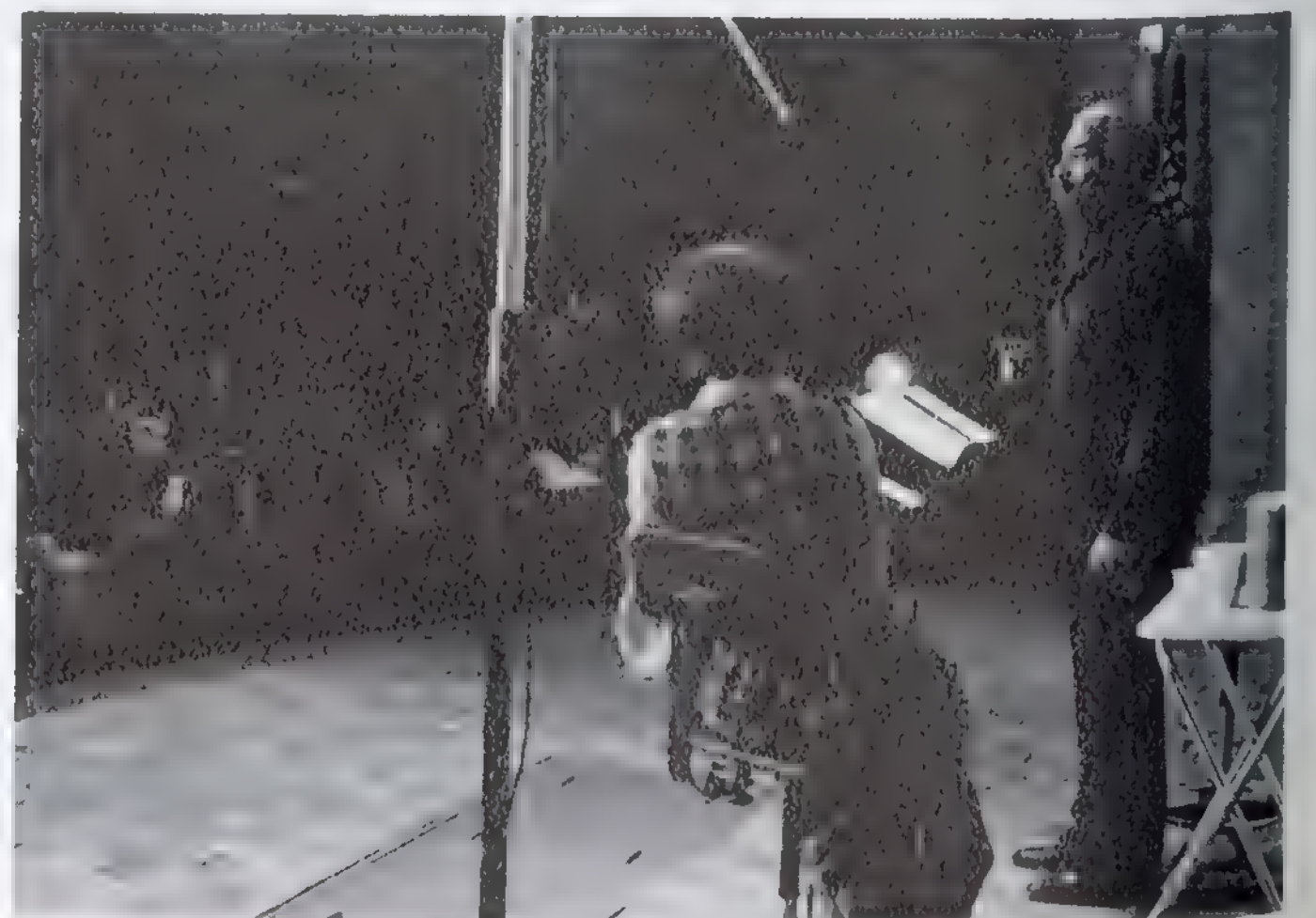
HONORING DR. MARY B. BURCH



Dr. Burch receiving the proclamation from Mayor Ken Gibson naming for Newark February 22 as Mary B. Burch Day.



OPENING AND DEDICATION CEREMONY



OSSIE DAVIS & RUBY DEE

HISTORY WEEK FESTIVAL OF GREATNESS

FEBRUARY 22-26, 1977



DR. CHARLES DREW ALEXANDE DUMAS
O.J. SIMPSON James Baldwin
BILLIE HOLIDAY IRA ALDRIDGE
Harriet Tubman BEETHOVEN
DUKE ELLINGTON **JACK JOHNSON**
MARTIN LUTHER KING RICHMOND BARTHE
SODJOURNER TRUTH
QUEEN CANDACE
Matthew Henson **Malcolm X** W.E.B. DuBois
PETER JACKSON BARBARA JORDAN
BILL ROBINSON Katherine Dunham
IMHOPTER JAN HARTZGEBER
OSSIE & RUBY
Frederick Douglas ROSA PARKS
Nat Turner D. ROBESON
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Garvey
HANNIBAL
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BLACK HISTORY BOOTHS AND DISPLAYS



MR. AND MS. ECC BALL 1977



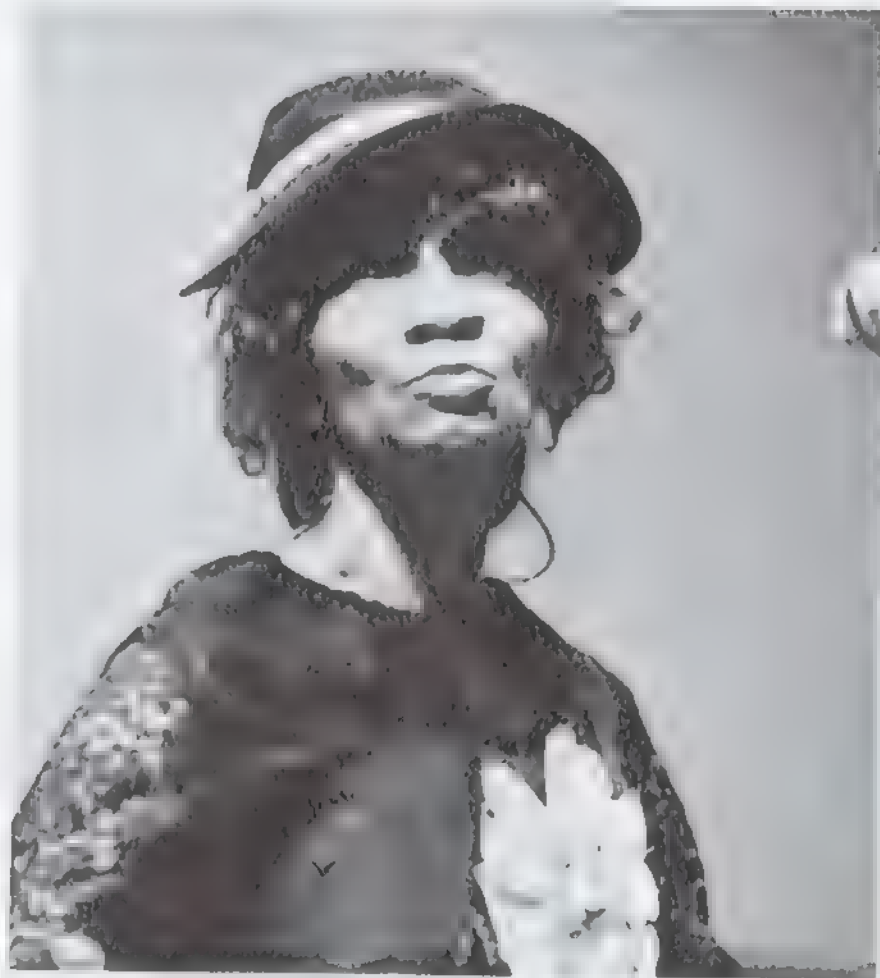
Mr. & Ms. ECC Finalists answer their questions for M.C. Ken Webb



THE FIRST MR. ECC — GRASSELLA OLIPHANT AND THE 8th Ms. ECC — Michele Campbell being crowned by Susan Treadwell last year's Ms. ECC.



MUSIC CLUB



TALENT SHOW

LECTURES AND DEBATES



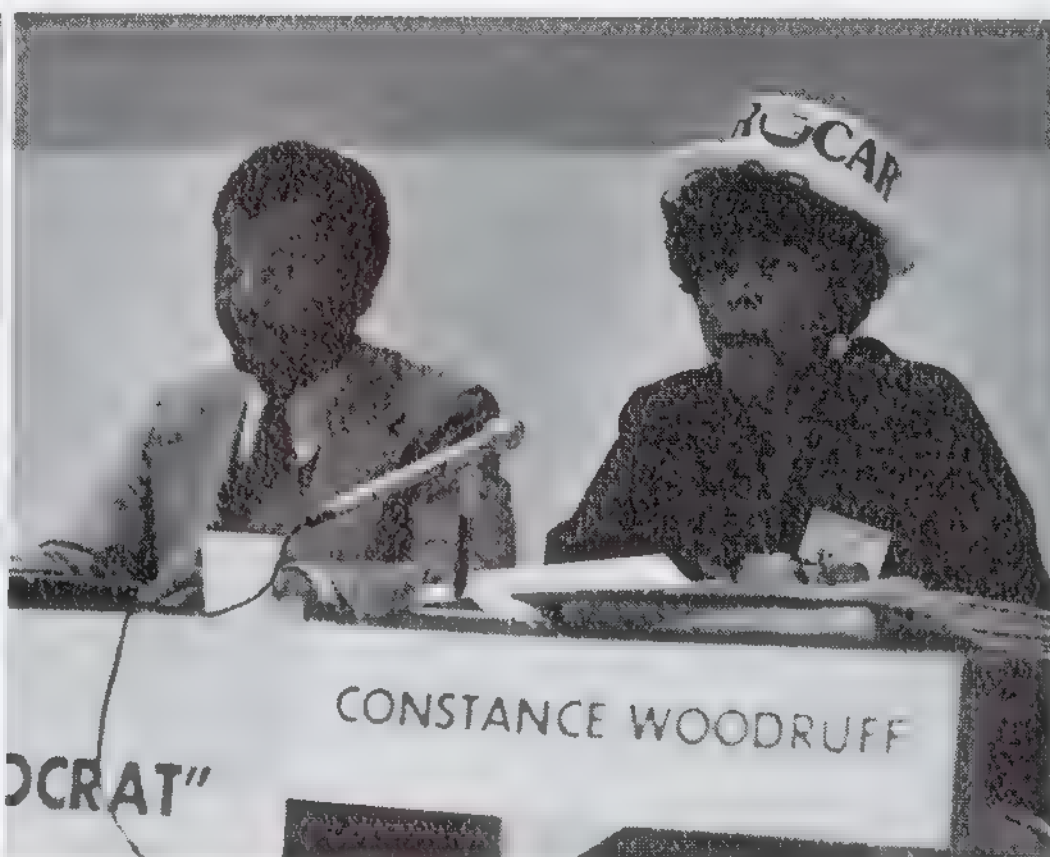
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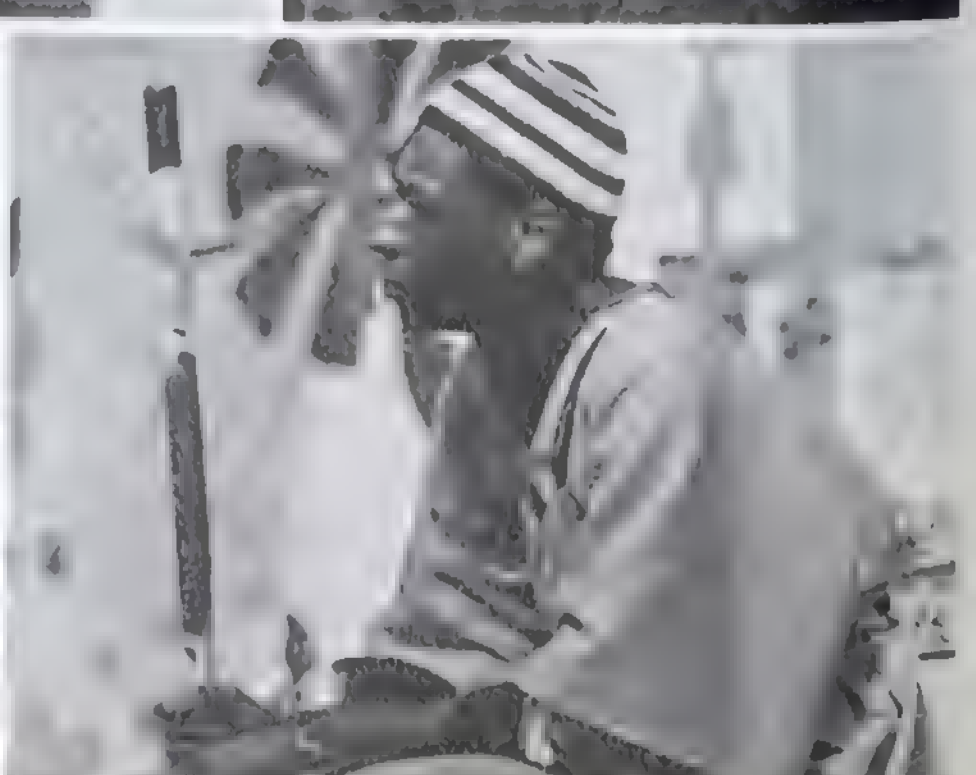
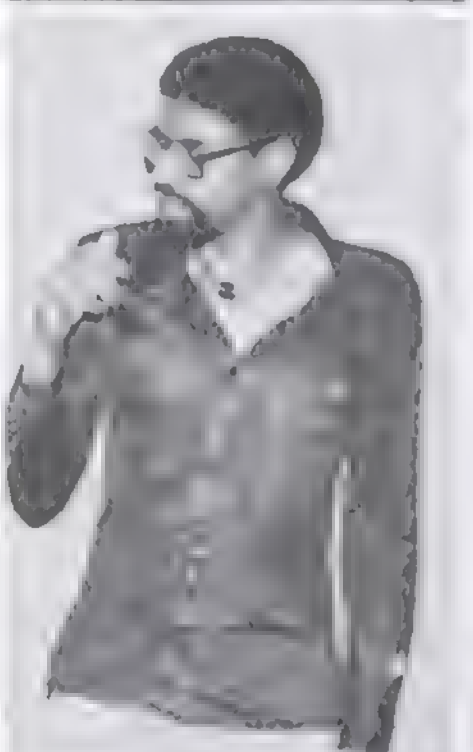


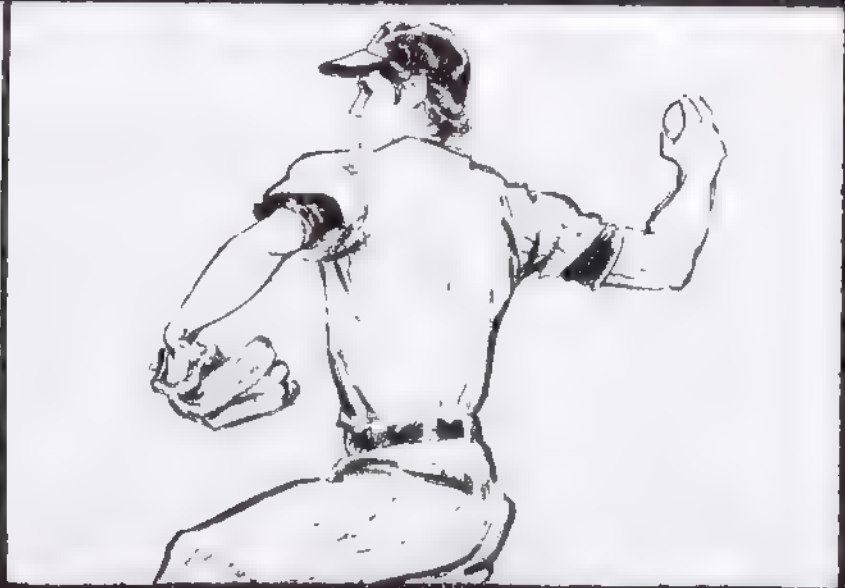
MARK LANE



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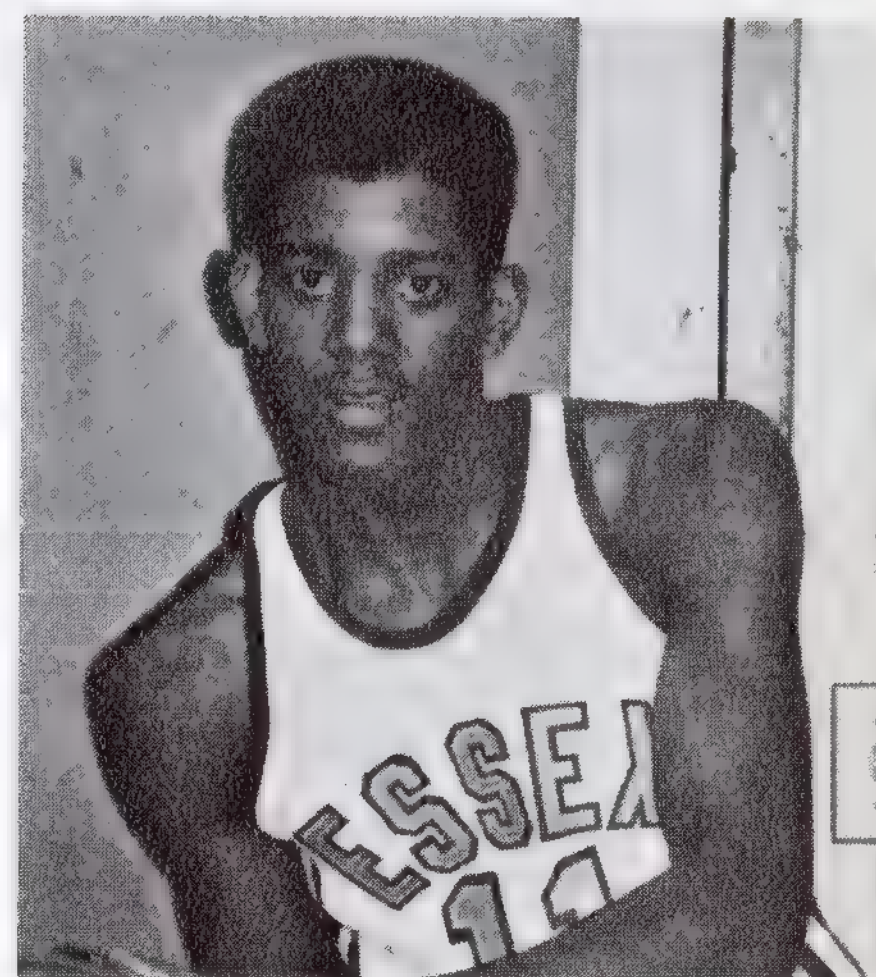
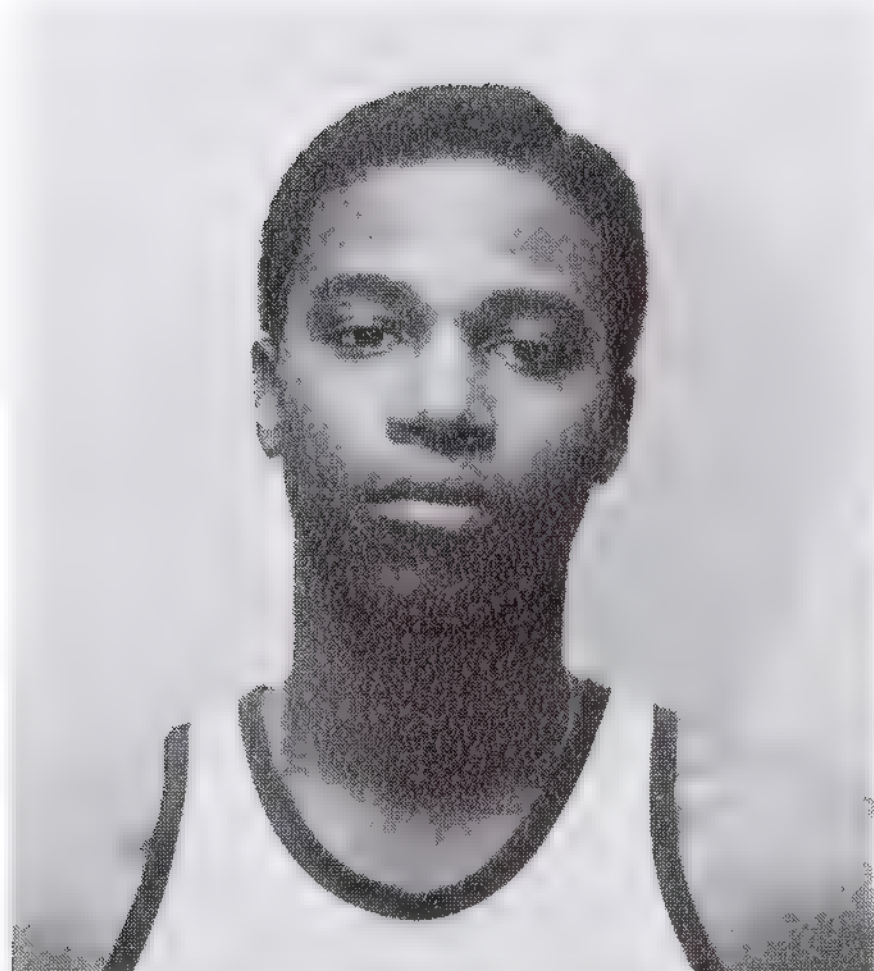
Sports





1975-76 Basketball Team





1975-76 TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

26 wins 4 losses
Team Won GSAC Title
Won 11 consecutive games
Voted by N.J. Basketball Writer's Assoc. as No. 2 team in State for 2 year colleges
Seeded No. 2 in the Region 19 Championship

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Kim Fisher named All-GSAC, Region 19 and All American squads
Michael Green was selected on the All-GSAC Team
Kim Fisher was selected on the Region 19 All Star Team
Kim Fisher was named by the N.J. Basketball Writer's Assoc. as the JUCO-Player-of-the-Week for January 24, 1976
Kim Fisher was 2nd leading scorer in the Region 19 top 6 scorers
Cleo Hill was voted the GSAC Coach-of-the-Year
Kim Fisher was selected by Coach Hill as the ECC MVP Basketball student-athlete

1976-77 TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

25 wins 4 losses
Team won 9 consecutive games
The team was co-champions of the GSAC
The squad was a finalist in the Region 19 Championship
During the past season, the team ranked 19th in the NJCAA
ECC was 1st in Region 19 scoring; ranked 5th in defense
Nationally, team was 1st in team field goal percentage, 3rd in team offense



INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Eric Fuller was selected to the All-GSAC, All Region 19, & NJCAA squads
Eric Fuller was voted twice by the N.J. Basketball Writers Association the JUCO Player-of-the-Week
Brian Jenkins was named to the Region 19 All Tournament Team
Joseph Walters tied Region 19 Tournament Record for the most points in the tournament with 65 points

Eric Fuller was 8 leading scorer in the NJCAA
Eric Fuller scored 52 & 42 points in 2 different games
Joseph Walters was 8th in field goal percentage in the NJCAA
Eric Fuller was selected by Coach Hill as the ECC MVP basketball student athlete
Eric Fuller was named by the ECC Athletic Dept. Selection Committee as the co-ECC MVP



1975-76 BASEBALL TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

13 wins 7 losses
 Won first 7 of 8 games
 Participated in the Region 19 Championship
 Beat highly ranked Mercer County College

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Bob Henwood was named to the All-GSAC Squad
 Bob Henwood led the team with 5 wins, 390 batting average, 5 home runs and 31 RBI's
 Bob Henwood selected as ECC MVP Baseball player

1976-77 BASEBALL TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

5 wins 12 losses

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Jose Zaragoza batted 328 and Richard Freda batted 352
 Jose Zaragoza was selected as the ECC MVP baseball student athlete



1975-76 TENNIS TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1 win 5 losses

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Donald Moore led the team in wins
 Donald Moore was named as the ECC MVP tennis student athlete

1976-77 TENNIS TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1 win 9 losses

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Ida Powell was named ECC MVP tennis student athlete



1975-76 CROSS COUNTRY TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

8 wins 3 losses

ECC placed 25th in the GSAC/Region 19 Championship

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Geraldo Gonzalves placed 25th in the GSAC/Region 19 Championship

Geraldo Gonzalves was named as the ECC MVP cross country student athlete

1976-77 CROSS COUNTRY TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

6 wins 4 losses

Team placed 4th in the GSAC Championship; 5th in Region 19 Championship and placed 121st in the NJCAA Championship with over 350 runners competing.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Gideon Terer placed 1st against five Region 19 Colleges

Gideon Terer placed 8th and 9th in the GSAC & Region 19 Championships

Gideon Terer was named as the ECC MVP cross country student athlete

1975-76 INDOOR TRACK TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Won the Region 19 Championship

Won the National Junior College Athletic Association Championship

Won the United States Federation Championship

Won the Philadelphia Junior College Invitational Meet

Won the Mile relay in 9 out of 10 meets.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

George Holmes, Sylvester McCullum, EDD Brown, Clarence Franklin, Gideon Terer, and Robert Calhoun selected on the All Region Team.

Joseph Coombs, Mathew Williamson, Charles Headlam, Colin Bradford, Maxwell Peters, Robert Calhoun, Gideon Terer, Clarence Franklin, George Holmes were selected to the NJCAA All-American squad.

Coach Russell Rogers was voted NJCAA's Coach-of-the-Year

Coombs, Williamson, Brown and Headlam were named to the U.S. Federation All-American squad

Joseph Coombs was named as the ECC MVP indoor track student athlete

1976-77 INDOOR TRACK TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Won the Region 19 Championship

Won the National Junior College Athletic Association Championship

Dominated the East Coast Invitational, Washington

CYO Invitational, Philadelphia JC Invitational, and Philadelphia Track Classic

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Kerry Bethel, Joseph Coombs, Gideon Terer, Anthony Lyons, Derek Alves, Anthony Husbands, Louis Charles, and Ahmad Muhammad were selected to the NJCAA All-American squad

Derek Alves, Joseph Coombs, Gideon Terer, Anthony Lyons, Anthony Husbands, Kerry Bethel, Ahmad Muhammad were selected on the All REGION 19 Team

Coach Russel Rodgers was voted the NJCAA's COACH OF THE YEAR

Kerry Bethel set a meet record in the 60 yard high hurdles (East Coast Invitational)

Bob Calhoun set a meet record in the 60 yard dash (East Coast Invitational)

Gideon Terer set a meet record in the 1000 yard run (East Coast Invitational)

Bob Calhoun set a meet record in the 60 yard dash (Oklahoma Classic)

Joseph Coombs set a meet record in the 880 yard run (Oklahoma Classic)

Gideon Terer set a meet record in the 1000 yd. run (Region 19 Championship)

Anthony Husbands set a NJCAA meet record in the 300 yard run (NJCAA Championships)

Gideon Terer set a NJCAA meet record in the 1000 yd. run (NJCAA Championships)

Anthony Lyons, Kerry Bethel, Ahmad Muhammad, and Joseph Coombs (1 mile relay team) set a NJCAA meet record in the 1 mile relay (NJCAA Championships)

NJCAA meet record in the one mile relay (NJCAA Championships)

Joseph Coombs was selected by Coach Rogers as the MVP indoor track student athlete

TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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1975-76 OUTDOOR TRACK TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Won the GSAC/Region 19 Championship
Won the National Junior College Athletic Association Championship
Won the Middlesex Relays, Queens & Iona Relays, East Coast Invitational, Penn State Relays, and the East Stroudsburg Invitational.
Set 12 meet records and 3 NJCAA Records

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Charles Headlam, George Holmes, Gideon Terer, Tony Husbands, Colin Bradford, Michael Nipinak, and Sylvester McCullum were named to the All-GSAC & All-Region squads; Joseph Coombs, Barrington Smith, Karl Hunter, Maxwell Peters, Bob Calhoun, Mike Cosby, Charles Walker, Mike Nipinak, and Tommy Rembert were selected on the All-Region squad. Colin Bradford was voted the meet's outstanding athlete in NJCAA Championship. Bradford, Terer, Husbands, Walker, Holmes, Coombs and Peters were selected on the NJCAA's All-American Squad
Colin Bradford was selected as the ECC MVP outdoor track student athlete
Coach Russell Rogers was voted NJCAA's Coach of the Year

1976-77 OUTDOOR TRACK TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Won the National Junior College Athletic Association Championship
Placed 2nd in the GSAC/Region 19 Championship
Won the All-Eastern Championship
Won 6 or more events in Florida, Penn State, Norfolk, Lona, and Maryland Relays

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Kerry Bethel, Anthony Husbands, Bob Calhoun, Gideon Terer, Joseph Coombs, Michael Paul, Louis Charles, Maxwell Peters, Anthony Lyons, and Derek Alves were named to the All-GSAC/Region 19 teams.
Kerry Bethel set a new meet record in 110 meter high hurdles (Gainesville, Florida)

Joseph Coombs tied a meet record in the 400 meter open (Gainesville, Florida)

Joseph Coombs set a record in the 400 meter relay (Penn State)

Anthony Husbands set a record in the 220 yard dash (GSAC/Region 19 Championships)

Gideon Terer set a record in the 880 yard run (GSAC/Region 19 Championships)

Anthony Husbands set a record in the 100 meter dash and 200 meters (Mansfield State Open)

Joseph Coombs set a record in the 400 meters (Mansfield State Open)

Anthony Husbands set a record in the 100 meter run and the 200 meter run (All-Eastern Championships)

Joseph Coombs, Gideon Terer, Anthony Husbands, Kerry Bethel, Ahmad Muhammad, Michael Paul, Anthony Lyons, and Maxwell Peters were named to the NJCAA All-American Squad

Kerry Bethel was voted the MVP in the NJCAA Championship
Maxwell Peters broke a NJCAA Championship record in the triple jump

Joseph Coombs set a NJCAA Championship record in the 400 meters

Gideon Terer broke a NJCAA Championship record in the 800 meters

Kerry Bethel broke a NJCAA Championship record in the high hurdles

The best all-around student-athlete in ECC track history is Joseph Coombs. Also, holder of three National Junior College Athletic Association records; a member of two ECC teams that holds NJCAA records. Made the NJCAA All-American team twelve (12) times . . . eight (8) times in 1977 and four (4) times in 1976. Was a member of the 1976 Olympic Team in Montreal, Canada.

Joseph Coombs was named by Coach Russell Rogers as the ECC MVP outdoor track student-athlete

Coach Russell Rogers was named the NJCAA's Coach-of-the-Year
The ECC Selection Committee named Russell Rogers as the ECC Coach-of-the-Year

Joseph Coombs was named by the ECC Athletic Department Selection Committee as the co-ECC/M.V.P.



1975-76 SOCCER TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The final team record was five (5) wins, eight (8) losses, and two (2) ties

The team won three consecutive matches

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Mike Douglas was selected on the All-GSAC Team
Lorenzo Dryden was selected on the All-Region 19 team
Mike Douglas was named by Coach Harry Nowick as the ECC MVP soccer student-athlete

1976-77 SOCCER TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The final team record was four (4) wins, nine (9) losses, and one (1) tie

The team won an upset victory over Morris County College

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Kai Foday, with a GPA of 3.77, was the recipient of the Frank Cobb Scholarship Award. Kai Foday, Georgias Vattis, and Chris Petri were selected on the All-GSAC team.
Georgios Vattis was named to the All-Region 19 team
Steven Felano was named by Coach Harry Nowick as the ECC MVP soccer student-athlete
Georgios Vattis was named recipient of the ECC Sportsmanship Award

1975-76 WRESTLING TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The final team record was six (6) wins and eight (8) losses
Won four (4) consecutive matches. Members of the team
participated in the Mid Atlantic Zone Tournament

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Franklin Wesley was outstanding with eleven (11) wins,
sixty-three (63) points and five (5) pins
Kevin Moore won a match in the one hundred and fifty-six (156)
weight class of the Mid Atlantic Zone Tournament
Franklin Wesley was selected by Coach Matthew White as the
ECC MVP wrestling student-athlete

1976-77 WRESTLING TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The final team record was six (6) wins, ~~seven~~ (7) losses, and one
(1) tie. Members of the squad participated in the Mid
Atlantic Zone Tournament.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Kenneth Jackson had a 13-1 overall record
Bryant Townsend had a 10-4 overall dual record
William Stearns placed fourth in the 134 weight class of the
Mid-Atlantic District Championship
Kenneth Jackson was selected by Coach Matthew White as the
MVP wrestling student-athlete



1976-77 CHEERLEADING TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The team of ten cheerleaders was the highest total of cheerleading participants in one season in the history of the College.

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Jacqueline Daniels was selected by Advisor Esther Jones as the ECC MVP cheerleading student-athlete.

1976-77 WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

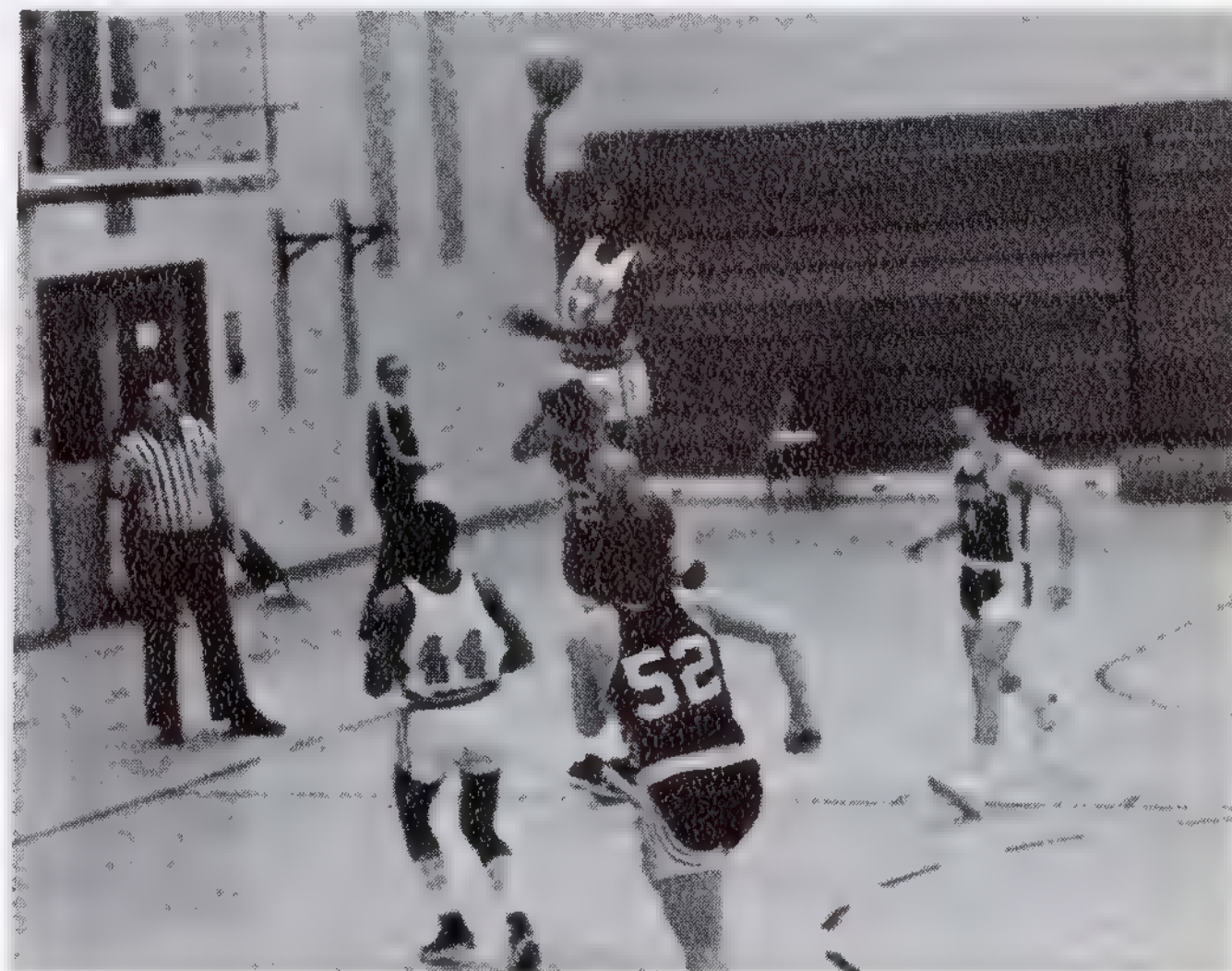
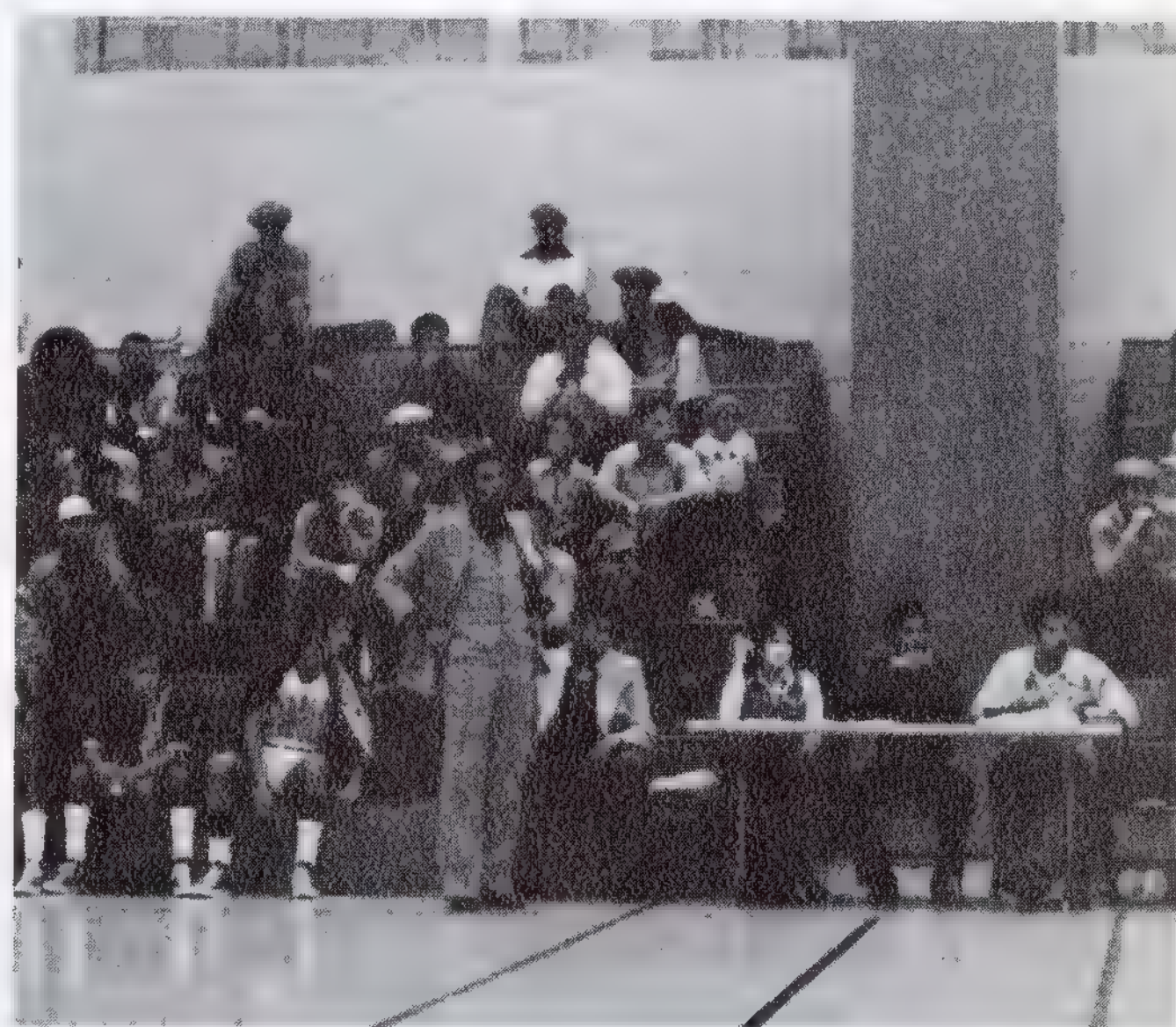
The final team record was one (1) win and nine (9) losses

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Rosemary Teal was selected by Coach Doris Dortch as the ECC MVP women's volleyball student-athlete.

COACHES

Athletic Director	Cleo Hill
Ass't Athletic Director	Russell Rogers
Tennis Coordinator	Al Hawkins
Soccer, Head	Harry Nowick
Cross Country, Head	Russell Rogers
Women's Volleyball, Head	Doris Dortch
Basketball, Head	Cleo Hill
Ass't	Gilbert Battles
Cheerleaders	Esther Jones
Ass't	Claudia Mabry
Wrestling, Head	Matthew White
Ass't	James Walker
Indoor & Outdoor Track, Head	Russell Rogers
Ass't	Marshall Brown
Women's Tennis, Head	Ronald Haynes
Baseball, Head	James Palumbo
Ass't	Ralph Fortson
Ass't	Frank Cherichello
Men's Tennis, Head	Ronald Haynes
Athletic Trainer	Herbert Tobias
Ass't	Harry James



MRS. CLARA COOPER

IN MEMORIAM

SEPTEMBER 27, 1930-NOVEMBER 6, 1975



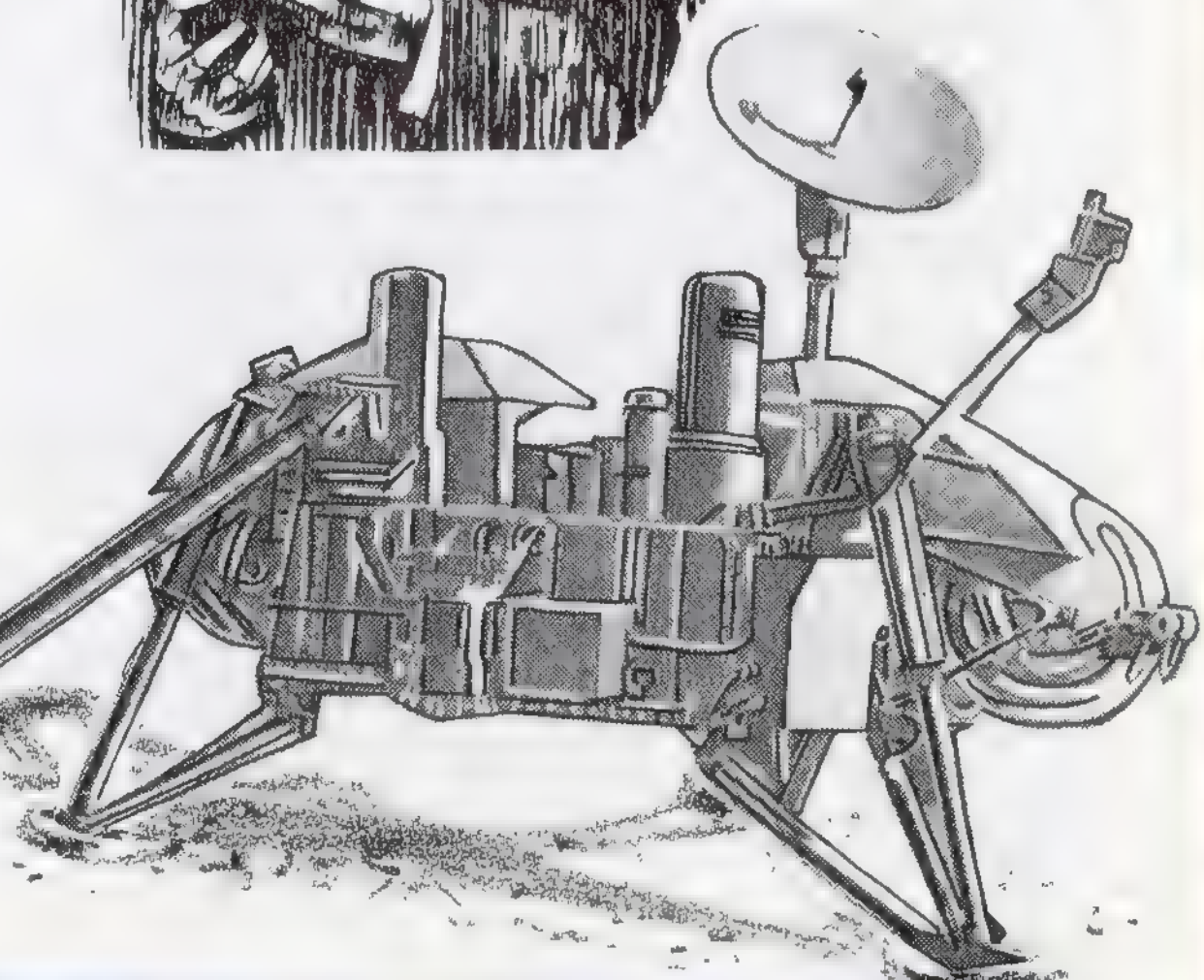
Mrs. Clara Cooper

Clara Cooper, beloved wife of Reverend Louis Cooper, mother of Cheryl Vaughn, Ida Richardson, Bernita, James, and Gregory Jackson. Mrs. Cooper was a District Missionary of the Church of Deliverance and Prophecy, and was attending classes at the college in an effort to better carry out her duties within the church and its local congregation, the Prayer Time Temple of Newark.

A scholarship in her name has been established at the college at the request of her family. The tribute will be a most meaningful one for years and years to come. A remembrance of a woman who loved people and who loved learning in a setting which focuses on people and on education and the interaction between them.



Major News Events



FLASHBACKS

OCTOBER 1975

The Labor Department Reports that the country's unemployment rate decreased from 8.4% to 8.3%.

President Ford vetoes the \$2.7 billion federal child nutrition bill.

Vice President Rockefeller asks Congress to help New York City in its financial crisis.

Secretary of State Kissinger informs the House Select Committee on Intelligence that in his 6 years as national security adviser to Presidents Nixon & Ford, no secret intelligence operations were carried on by the U.S. without presidential approval.

NOVEMBER 1975

Sara Jane Moore enters a plea of guilty to a charge of firing a shot at Pres. Ford.

Pres. Ford signs a compromise energy bill that will roll back crude oil prices in an attempt to stabilize gas and fuel oil prices.

The cost of mailing a first class letter is increased from 10 cents to 13 cents.

The Senate Select Committee on Intelligence says that the CIA encouraged the overthrow of Chilean Pres. Salvadore Allende Gossens but that no direct CIA involvement in the 1973 coup in Chile that resulted in Allende's death could be established.

The Defense Dept. informs Congress that it will sell 25 F-15 jet fighters to Israel and that Saudi Arabia has contracted for \$1.8 billion in construction, maintenance and training programs.

DECEMBER 1975

President Ford fires Secretary of Defense James Schlesinger & CIA Director William Colby; he also removes Henry Kissinger from his post as national security adviser.

Lynette Fromme goes on trial of attempted assassination of President Ford.

Voters in N.J. and N.Y. fail to approve the Equal Rights Amendment.

Senator Humphrey announces he will not try for the Democratic nomination. Pres. Ford and Gov. George Wallace announced that they will run.

President Ford testified that he did not hear the click of Lynette Fromme's gun. This is the first time a President has submitted to interrogation in a Federal Case. Lynette Fromme is found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The Senate Select Committee on Intelligence revealed that as part of a 6 year campaign to discredit him, the FBI attempted to persuade civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr. to commit suicide by sending him an anonymous note and a tape of his involvement in alleged unsavory incidents 34 days before King was to receive the Nobel Peace Prize.

It was reported that former Pres. Nixon has agreed to testify although he will refuse to answer certain questions.

MAY 1976

United States Courts of Appeals unanimously affirms the convictions of John D. Ehrlichman and G. Gordon Liddy for their roles in the 1971 break-in of the office of Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist.

Representative Wayne Hays acknowledges in a speech before the House that he had a personal relationship with Elizabeth Ray who asserts that she was paid a public salary to be his mistress.

JUNE 1976

The Supreme Court ruled that the Civil Service Commission may not bar resident aliens from Civil Service jobs.

A controversial new earth-fill dam on the upper Snake River in Idaho bursts leaving 5 known dead 53 missing and 30,000 homeless.

The Supreme Court refuses to comment to review the court-ordered desegregation plan for Boston's public schools.

Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn nullifies the biggest sale of talent in baseball history with an order to the N.Y. Yankee's and Boston Red Sox to return the 3 stars they had bought from the Oakland A's for \$3.5 million.

The House of Representatives accepts the Resignation of Wayne Hayes.

In a message to Congress, Pres. Ford proposes guidelines limiting court-ordered bussing.

The Supreme Court rules that private non-sectarian schools may not exclude applicants because of race, and also ruled that the current version of the Civil Rights act of 1966 protects whites against racial discrimination to the same degree it protects Blacks.

155 women enter the U.S. Air Force Academy, ending the all male tradition at U.S. military academies.

JULY 1976

By a 6-3 ruling, the Court rules that states cannot require a woman to secure the consent of her husband before having an abortion.

The Supreme Court ruled that the death penalty for the crime of murder is a constitutionally acceptable form of punishment and is not inherently cruel or unusual.

The Nation celebrates its BICENTENNIAL with special events in Wash. D.C., Philadelphia and across the country. In New York City, an estimated 6 million watched sailing ships from 31 nations parade up the Hudson River.

The Appellate Division of the New York State Supreme Court disbars former Pres. Nixon on 5 charges relating to the Watergate scandal.

At the Democratic National Convention in New York, Jimmy Carter is nominated on the first ballot as the Democratic Candidate for President in the 1976 election. Carter selects Walter Mondale as his running mate.

The landing vehicle from the American Viking I unmanned spacecraft makes a successful landing on the surface of Mars after an 11 month journey and a ½ billion miles. The landing device also transmits pictures of Mars' surface, showing what appears to be a wind swept rocky desert plain.

Ronald Reagan names Senator Schweiker as his running mate.

After 9 days of a wildcat soft-coal miners strike, more than one-third of the nation's soft-coal miners are on strike.

JANUARY 1976

The Federal Court in Washington gives the government control of the presidential papers & tapes of Richard Nixon.

The U.S. Court of Appeals upholds the ruling of the U.S. District Court ordering bussing to achieve racial integration in the Boston school system.

Secretary of State Henry Kissinger arrives in Moscow to confer with Soviet Party Secretary Leonid Brezhnev for talks designed to limit long range missiles and bombers.

Florida Seminole Indians agree to accept a \$16 million federal payment for their claim to Florida, ending a 25 year legal battle.

The 1976 draft lottery drawing is cancelled. Men 18 years or older no longer have to register for the draft.

Pupil bussing to achieve racial integration begins in Detroit.

The Supreme Court rules that the Constitution does not require law enforcement officers to get warrants before making arrests in public places.

A record 38.51 million shares are traded on the N.Y. Stock Exchange; trading volume is the heaviest in exchange history.

FEBRUARY 1976

President Ford signs a \$112.3 billion defense appropriation bill that includes a ban on further aid to forces in the Angolan Civil War.

The Village Voice publishes the text of the secret report of the House Select Committee on Intelligence on the CIA and other intelligence gathering agencies.

Daniel Schorr is suspended from CBS for leaking the text to the Village Voice.

President Ford wins the New Hampshire Presidential Primary over Ronald Reagan, and Jimmy Carter wins the largest Democratic vote.

Lockheed Aircraft Corp. officially testify before the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence that the company paid \$12.8 million in fees, commissions and bribes to sell jetfighters and jetliners to Japan.

MARCH 1976

News released that the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. paid out at least \$845,000 to the employees or agents of Foreign Governments during a 6 year period.

A desposition by former Pres. Nixon says Nixon ordered a program of telephone wiretaps, but as National Security Adviser, Kissinger supplied the FBI with the names of those to be checked.

In a U.S. District Court, Patricia Hearst is convicted of armed bank robbery & felony.

Ruling 5 to 3, the Supreme Court decides that blacks who have been denied jobs in violation of the 1964 Civil Rights Act must receive retroactive seniority once they secure those jobs.

The Supreme Court rules that homosexual acts are illegal even if undertaken by consenting adults, and violators must be prosecuted.

APRIL 1976

Pres. Ford vetoes a bill that would have given the States \$125 million for federally aided Day Care Centers.

The Nigerian Government cancels an invitation to Henry Kissinger to visit Nigeria.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission concludes that the Public Service Electric & Gas Co. of New Jersey should be granted a construction permit for a floating nuclear power plant 2.8 miles off the coast near Atlantic City.

The Supreme Court rules that federal courts may order minority low-cost public housing in the white suburbs of a city even when the suburbs have not been guilty of racially discriminatory housing practices.

In a unanimous decision, the Supreme Court rules that Indian tribes may challenge state taxes in Indian and reservation property in a federal court instead of in a state court.

AUGUST 1976

Mysterious flu-like disease kills several people who were attending a state American Legion Convention.

Hurricane Belle sweeps up the Atlantic Coast with winds up to 100 miles an hour.

In response to a crime wave, Detroit recalls 450 laid-off policemen and orders a 10 p.m. curfew for all children under 17.

At the Republican National Convention, Gerald Ford is nominated on the first ballot as Republican Candidate for President. Ford selects Robert Dole as his running mate.

Senators Dole and Mondale agree to meet in the first nationally televised debates between vice-presidential candidates.

SEPTEMBER 1976

Pres. Ford and Gov. Carter agree to debate for 90 minutes on National T.V. for the first time in 16 years.

Viking II makes a successful landing on Mars.

The Episcopal Church approves the ordination of women to be priests and bishops.

The Bureau of Census revealed that the number of poor persons in the U.S. increased by 2.5 million in 1975.

1976 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION RESULTS

	NO. OF STATES WON	POPULAR VOTE	ELECTORAL VOTES	% OF POP. VOTE
FORD	27	38,536,990	241	48%
CARTER	24	40,278,840	297	51%
MADDOX	0	168,724	0	0%
McCARTHY	0	658,156	0	1%

AWARDS

Motion Picture Academy Awards

1975-76

Best Picture: "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest," Jack Nicholson
Best Actor: Jack Nicholson, "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest"
Best Actress: Louise Fletcher, "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest"
Supporting Actress: Lee Grant, "Shampoo"
Supporting Actor: George Burns "The Sunshine Boys"

EMMY AWARDS Presented by the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences

Best Comedy Series: "The Mary Tyler Moore Show"
Best Drama Series: "Police Story"
Best Comedy Variety: "Saturday Night"
Best Actor (Comedy Series): Jack Albertson, "Chico and the Man"
Best Actress (Comedy Series): Mary Tyler Moore, "Mary Tyler Moore Show"
Best Actor (Drama): Peter Falk, "Columbo"
Best Actress (Drama): Michael Learned, "The Waltons"

GRAMMY AWARDS Given by the National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences for the best annual recordings

1975

Record of the Year: "Love Will Keep Us Together," Captain & Tennille
Album of the Year: "Still Crazy After All these Years," Paul Simon
Song of the Year: "Send In The Clowns"
Best New Artist: Natalie Cole
Best Pop Instrumental: "The Hustle," Van McCoy

TONY AWARDS (ANTOINETTE PERRY)

presented by the League of New York
Theatres under authorization from the American Theatre Wing

1975-76

Best Play: "Travesties"
Best Musical: "A Chorus Line"
Best Dramatic Actress: Irene Worth, "Sweet Bird of Youth"
Best Dramatic Actor: John Wood, "Travesties"
Best Musical Actress: Donna McKechnie, "A Chorus Line"
Best Musical Actor: George Rose, "My Fair Lady"

1975 BEST SELLERS

1. Centennial; James Michener
2. Watership Down; Richard Adams
3. JAWS; Peter Benchely
4. Tinker, Tailor, Soldier Spy; John LeCarre
5. Something Happened; Joseph Heller
6. The Dogs of War; Frederick Forsyth
7. The Pirate; Harold Robbins
8. The Moneychangers; Arthur Hailey
9. The Dreadful Lemon Sky; John McDonald
10. Lady; Thomas Tyron

1976 BEST SELLERS

1. The Deep; Peter Benchley
2. The Choirboys; Joseph Wambaugh
3. The Lonely Lady; Harold Robbins
4. Humboldt's Gift; Saul Bellow
5. The Gemini Contenders; Robert Ludlum
6. Delores; Jacqueline Suzanne
7. The R. Document; Irving Wallace
8. The Boys from Brazil; Ira Levin
9. A Stranger in the Mirror; Sidney Sheldon
10. The Westend Horror; Nicholas Meyer

SPORTS FINALS

1976 SUMMER OLYMPICS: UNITED STATES WON 34 Gold Medals, 35 Silver and 25 Bronze.
WINTER OLYMPICS: 3 Gold, 3 Silver, 4 Bronze
WORLD SERIES: 1976 NEW YORK YANKEES VS. CINCINNATI REDS
CINCINNATI WON beating N.Y. 4 straight games
BASKETBALL 1975-76 NBA PLAYOFFS: BOSTON CELTICS VS. PHOENIX SUNS
BOSTON CELTICS WON 4-2 over Phoenix
FOOTBALL: 1976 NFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES DALLAS COWBOYS WON OVER THE LOS ANGELES RAMS 37-7
SUPERBOWL: PITTSBURG STEELERS WON OVER THE DALLAS COWBOYS 21-17
HOCKEY: 1975-76 WORLD HOCKEY ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP, HOUSTON LOST TO WINNIPEG 4-0

AVERAGES

The average cost for a pack of cigarettes: 65 cents
gallon of gas: 59 cents
record album: \$4.00
1 gallon milk: \$1.47
large loaf of bread: 65 cents
large box of eggs: 69 cents-\$1.00
64 oz. of Coke: \$1.09

sugar (5 lb.): \$1.00
6 oz. coffee: \$3.29
5th of vodka: \$6.72
admission to movies: \$4.00
19" color t.v.: \$510.00
washing machine: \$310.00

OBITUARIES

Adderly, Julian Cannonball — Jazz Musician

Baker, Josephine — Singer and dancer

Ballard, Florence — Singer

Braddock, James — World Heavyweight Boxing Champion of the 30's

Bulganon, Nikolay — Soviet Statesman

Cambridge, Godfrey — Actor

Chaing Kai Shek — Chinese General and Head of State

Charles, Ezzard — World Heavyweight Boxing Champion 1949-51

Chou En Lai — Prime Minister of the People's Republic of China since 1949

Christie, Agatha — Author

Cobb, Lee J. — Actor

Crawford, Joan — Actress

Daley, Richard — Mayor of Chicago

Faisal, Ibn Abd al-Aziz — 3rd King of Saudi Arabia

Faith, Percy — Orchestra conductor and arranger

Fine, Larry — Actor, member of the 3 Stooges

Finch, Peter — Actor

Ford, Paul — Actor

Francisco, Franco Generalissimo — Spain's Chief of State

Getty, J. Paul — President of Getty Oil Co.

Gibbons, Euell — Author

Hayward, Susan — Actress

Hill, Graham — World auto racing champion, only winner of triple crown

Howard, Moe — Actor, member of 3 Stooges

Hubbart, DeHart — 1st Black American to win an Olympic Gold Medal

Hughes, Howard — Eccentric Billionaire

Hunt, H.L. — Billionaire Oilman

Kuhlman, Kathryn — Evangelist and faith healer

Kenny, John — Former mayor of Jersey City, one of N.J.
most powerful political leaders

Ladner, Wendell — N.Y. Nets Basketball Player

Loening, Grover — A founder of Pan Am

Lundigan, William — Movie Actor

Mobley, Jackie (Moms) — Television, radio and nightclub comedienne

Mao Tse Tung — Leader of Chinese Communist Revolution

March, Frederick — Actor

Mauzie, Abby Rockefeller — Daughter of John D. Rockefeller

Mineo, Sal — Actor

Mitchell, Martha — Wife of Attorney General John Mitchell.

Wash. D.C. Gossip

Montana, Bob — Creator of "Archie" comic strip

Montgomery, Field Marshall Viscount — British General

Nelson, Ozzie — Actor

Nevers, Ernie — Football Player

Och, Phil — Folk Singer

Onassis, Aristotle — Greek Shipping Magnate

Parks, Larry — Actor, played Al Jolson

Pons, Lillie — Coloratura Soprano

Prinze, Freddie — Actor

Razak, Abdul — Prime Minister of Malaysia

Redfield, William — Actor

Red Fox, William — Sioux Indian Chief

Robeson, Paul — Singer, Actor and Black Activist

Rose, Rufus — Creator of "Howdy Doody"

Serling, Rod — T.V. writer

Spear, Sammy — Bandleader

Spottswood, Bishop Stephen — Board Chairman of NAACP

Stengal, Charles Casey — Baseball player and manager

Treacher, Arthur — Actor

Vanderbilt, Amy — Author & Columnist

Wilder, Thornton — Author

Wiley, Lee — Jazz Singer

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